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## PINE CONE SOLD

### New owners promise high standards, increased news coverage

PINE CONE STAFF REPORT

**V**OWING TO uphold high journalistic standards, increase hard news coverage and remain in tune with local readers, Paul Miller and Kirstie Wilde are preparing to take over operations at The Carmel Pine Cone.

On Monday, the Pacific Grove couple, both veteran broadcast journalists, announced that they have bought the 82-year-old weekly newspaper from the Brown family, owners since 1982.

The new owners — who are married and have three children attending school in Carmel Valley — will take over The Pine Cone/Carmel Valley Outlook effective April 11.

"We love the newspaper business and we are excited by this opportunity," Miller said.

Likewise, Wilde said she and her husband promise to meet the expectations of the well-educated readership of Carmel and the greater area.

#### Thompson to step down

Publisher Doug Thompson, who served as managing editor from February 1993 to October 1996, has

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## Scaled-down performing arts fest to be pitched to council Tuesday

### Director calls event 'new and improved'

By PAUL WOLF

**F**ACED WITH a wary Carmel City Council and mixed reviews at best from the public, the organization proposing an autumn Carmel Performing Arts Festival has greatly reduced the size of the event.

"This is a new and improved festival," said Robin McKee, the event's full-time executive director, who will appear again before the city council on Tuesday to respond to concerns expressed at the March 4 meeting. "We've rescoped the festival drastically."

At the meeting earlier this month, the council voted 3-2 to receive more information and to pave the way for modifications to the proposal, the brainchild of private citizens and members of the performing arts community. City support will be necessary for the annual event — originally slated this year for Oct. 4-26 — to take flight.

Mayor Ken White made it clear that the council's action was not an endorsement of the festival concept, but a desire not to kill the idea outright. The majority of residents at the March 4 public hearing expressed opposition to an event that could create additional congestion on Carmel streets and might not fit the character of Carmel.

McKee and members of the festival board maintained the festival would be

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## Purchase of Carmel Pt. celebrated

By TAMARA GRIPPI

**I**T TOOK nothing less than a village to preserve Carmel Point in perpetuity as the donations from more than 300 locals — starting at \$1 and going up — helped lock up the Big Sur Land Trust's acquisition of the cherished rocky outcropping.

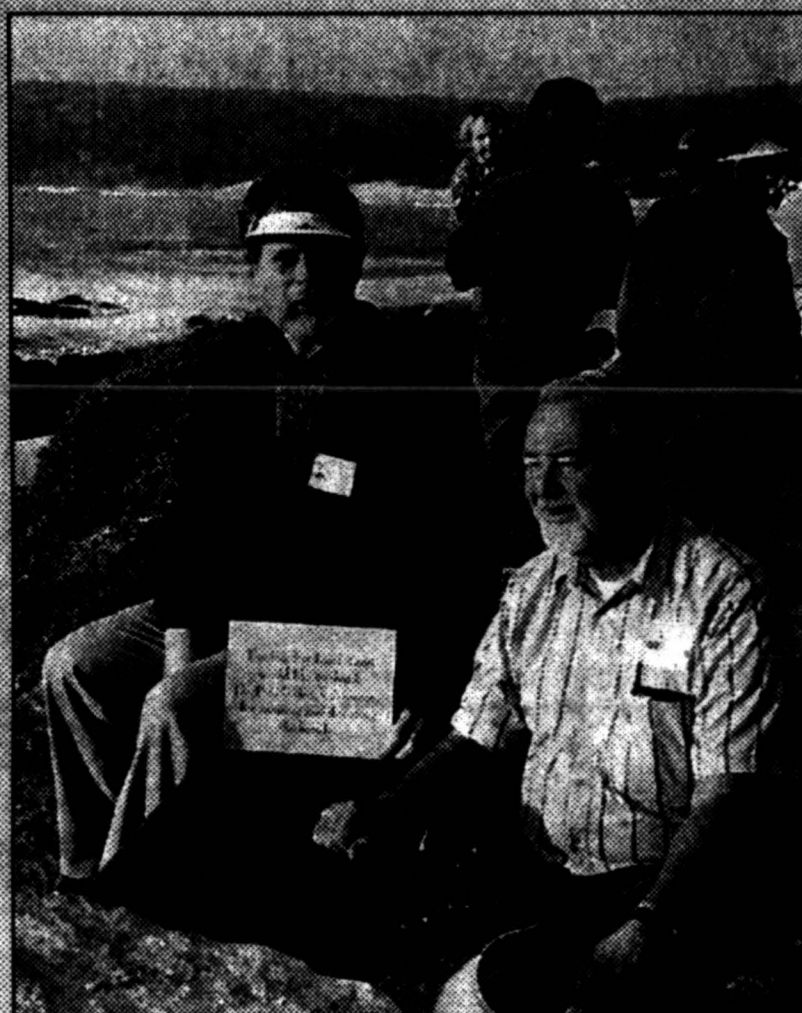
Balloons waved high from the point last Friday at sunset as the land trust celebrated its purchase of the half-acre piece of property from owner Colin Kuster.

The nonprofit group that brokers land acquisitions to preserve open space raised more than \$100,000 between Nov. 22 and Dec. 31.

Kuster and Brian Steen, land trust executive director, expressed satisfaction with the purchase. "They got a good deal and I got peace of mind," said Kuster.

Like most Carmel residents, Kuster did not want to see some kind of building — residential construction appears not to have been possible — go up on the property.

While the Kuster family



PHOTO/TAMARA GRIPPI

Colin Kuster (right), who sold the Carmel Point property to the Big Sur Land Trust, says the nonprofit organization — headed by Brian Steen (left) — "got a good deal and I got peace of mind."

owned the property for nearly 80 years, many people in Carmel have assumed that it was public property.

The property was zoned "resource conservation"

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## Big Sur wants power to call shots on logging in its backyard

By PAUL WOLF

**A**S JOE Steinfeld, an opponent of a Big Sur logging plan finished his remarks about the controversial project, he returned to his seat, looked directly at the state forestry official chairing the meeting and remarked, "We have no confidence in you people. You know that, don't you?"

Ignoring the comment, California Asst. Fire Chief Butch Washington was the picture of bureaucratic cool.

"At this time, I'd like to move on to our next speaker," Washington said.

The exchange — or lack of a genuine one — was a nutshell depiction of the uneasy relationship between project foes and the California Department of Forestry, which will have final say on the Mill Creek timber harvest plan.

The controversy over proposed logging in Big Sur is not merely a battle over the fate of a parcel of land. It is, in the Big Sur community's mind, about self-determination, the right to call the shots in one's own backyard.

The approved removal of 374 trees from an 80-acre redwood grove three miles north of Gorda would allow the Menasha Corp. to harvest and sell one million board-feet of lumber on land owned for the past seven decades by the Treloar family of Camptonville.

Kevin Whitlock, a private forester hired by Menasha to

develop a harvest plan, described the land in question as a long-held "bank account" from which the family now wishes to "withdraw."

Underscoring the significance of the project, Washington described the plan as the first of its kind in at least 10 years.

Even while holding fast to his role as the neutral receiver of public comment, he was braced for a lot of emotion and even occasional hostility. Meanwhile, the ire of opponents appeared directed less at Washington than at a process that keeps logging decisions in the hands of the CDF's resources agency.

"Having the people who run the forest giving out the permits is a little like sending the fox over to watch the hen house," summarized Steinfeld, a Palo Colorado resident.

#### Fighting for local control

As it stands, an effort is underway to put controversial logging issues under county control, but the chief vehicle toward that aim — Assembly Bill 187 — is unlikely to move fast enough to have an effect on the Mill Creek proposal, said Gary Shallcross, the Monterey County field representative for Fred Keeley, D-Boulder Creek, who is carrying the legislation.

"I expect the legislative process will go much slower

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### ANALYSIS: Mill Creek



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Forester Kevin Whitlock would win no popularity contests before a Big Sur audience, which listened to his amendments to a timber plan with considerable apprehension.





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## NEW OWNERS: Pine Cone sold

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announced his resignation, also effective April 11.

"It has been a great run," said Thompson, 39, a Carmel native. "The Carmel community and Pine Cone readers have responded so favorably to what we've accomplished and provided in the way of a quality news weekly. I look back with nothing but pride, and thank the community and The Pine Cone staff for a wonderful four years."

W.A. "Chip" Brown of Oakland has owned The Pine Cone since 1993. From 1982 to 1993, his brother, Bill Brown of Carmel Valley, co-owned the newspaper with him and served as its publisher.

"The Browns have conducted themselves with nothing but class and dignity during their 15-year tenure," Thompson said. "They are professional newspaper people in every sense of the word."

### Editor and publisher

Under the new ownership, Miller, 43, will serve as editor and publisher. Wilde will be directly involved in newsroom operations.

Since 1973, Wilde, 46, has anchored newscasts in a variety of markets, including San Diego, San Francisco, Los Angeles and Salinas.

Both have been recognized in their field. Miller has won two national Emmy Awards for sports and news coverage of the 1992 Olympic Games in Seoul, Korea. Wilde's awards include six regional Emmys and six Golden Mike Awards for breaking news coverage and investigative reporting.

Miller spent 12 years serving as editor and producer for NBC and CBS network news. His first job after finishing undergraduate studies in political science at the University of Chicago was "copy boy" for Walter Cronkite and the CBS Evening



PHOTO/COURTESY OF IRMA GARCIA

Kirstie Wilde and Paul Miller become owners of The Pine Cone on April 11.

News. Miller has served as foreign news assignment editor for CBS and NBC News in Manhattan.

Subsequently, Miller spent four years in Israel working as bureau chief for NBC, and two years as Los Angeles-based West Coast producer for NBC Nightly News.

After moving to Pacific Grove in 1987, Wilde and Miller created the news department at KCBA-TV in Salinas, and put that station's news department on the air for the first time in August 1990.

### Carmel connection

Three years ago, Wilde wrote the history of the oldest home in Carmel. Wilde's History of the Murphy - Powers - Comstock Barn-Studio is part of the Local History collection at Harrison Memorial Library in Carmel.

With the change of ownership this week, Chip Brown said, "I want to express my heartfelt thanks for the many friends I've made in Carmel over the years, especially Doug Thompson, Patti Saunders and all the other employees of The Pine Cone."

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## The Sports Leader: Raging egos, prep locker room style

"AT some point in the last few years," says Sports Illustrated, "sports talk radio became the lead paint of the 1990s."

In other words, exposure to it over any length of time may cause brain damage.

IT seemed to many around here that S.I. was referring specifically to KNBR radio in San Francisco, but it turns out it was talking about MANY such sports talk stations around the country.

One more sentence in the S.I. piece describes KNBR to a T:

"IN daily testosterone-heavy free-for-alls, sports talk hosts take bazooka shots at athletes, coaches, owners and the world at large, inviting rabid listeners to join them."

Nobody questions the psychological value and healthy stimulation of mature discussion of sports activities, but the epidemic of trash-talk hosts who substitute adolescent jerkism for intellect has reduced many of these programs to a waste of time for adults.

TAKE KNBR, which purports itself as "The Sports Leader." The plethora of in-your-face, know-it-all, rude, crude egomaniacs, assembled by program director Bob Agnew, sets new lows for the airwaves.

Profanity is commonplace. Giggling, pubescent-level discussions of sexual matters are not unusual. And vicious put-downs and character assaults are routine.

THE RARE female caller-in is drowned in treacle by the oinkish hosts, but they often make it clear to her that they don't want to discuss any WOMEN'S sports.

We hasten to point out that there are several KNBR exceptions to this sort of conduct — morning man Frank Dill, noon man Gary Radnich, and reporter Bruce McGowan, to name three who refuse to descend to the depths.

BUT among those others are:

■ **Pete Franklin** — Veteran arrogant sports talker who finds EVERYTHING in Northern California inferior to his nirvana — Cleveland!

Uses sound effect of a flushing toilet to cut off callers who fail to verbally genuflect to him, or — worse — who disagree with him.

Routinely refers to sports executives, coaches and others he doesn't like as scumbags, creeps, friggin' idiots, etc., and uses the sleazy term "pissed off" so often it may become his nickname!

Cruelly, Franklin's two hours daily on the air do not give him anywhere near enough time to fully inform the audience just how nationally famous and vitally important he is — but he's always trying!

■ **Bob Fitzgerald** — A youngish (30) put-down artist with monster ego, who is paired on the air with irascible Franklin. He's the station's designated laugh-er, thoroughly amused by his own cleverness — and also laughing at almost anything Franklin says. (Perhaps out of fear.)

Went to Notre Dame, and even if you liked that school in the past, you'll soon grow to hate it after listening to his daily canonization of it.

■ **Ralph Barbieri** — A late 40s veteran with fingernail-on-blackboard voice, who goes ballistic at the slightest criticism. Has exceptional vocabulary and prides himself on his interviews — although he is famous for 500-word questions that require one-word answers.

Repeatedly interrupts guests and callers in mid-sentence with his own thoughts of the moment. Unabashedly partial and deferential to all people with Italian names.

■ **Tom Tolbert** — The most adolescent misfit of the bunch. Former basketball player, he has only a

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## Group to guide direction on Sunset Center funding

By TAMARA GRIPPI

THE CARMEL City Council and the Sunset Center for the Arts fund-raising group have agreed on at least one thing: They must decide what else they need to agree on to make their common future a successful one.

At a special council meeting March 11, the council decided to appoint a steering committee charged with fleshing out the roles of the city and the nonprofit group as they pursue the \$12.9 million "BOOR/A" renovation plan for Sunset Center.

The committee will consist of three representatives and three alternates from each group. The city will have its three representatives picked by the April 1 meeting, according to City Administrator Jere Kersnar.

"It's going to take a while," Kersnar said, referring to the work ahead of the steering committee. "That kind of agreement is complex."

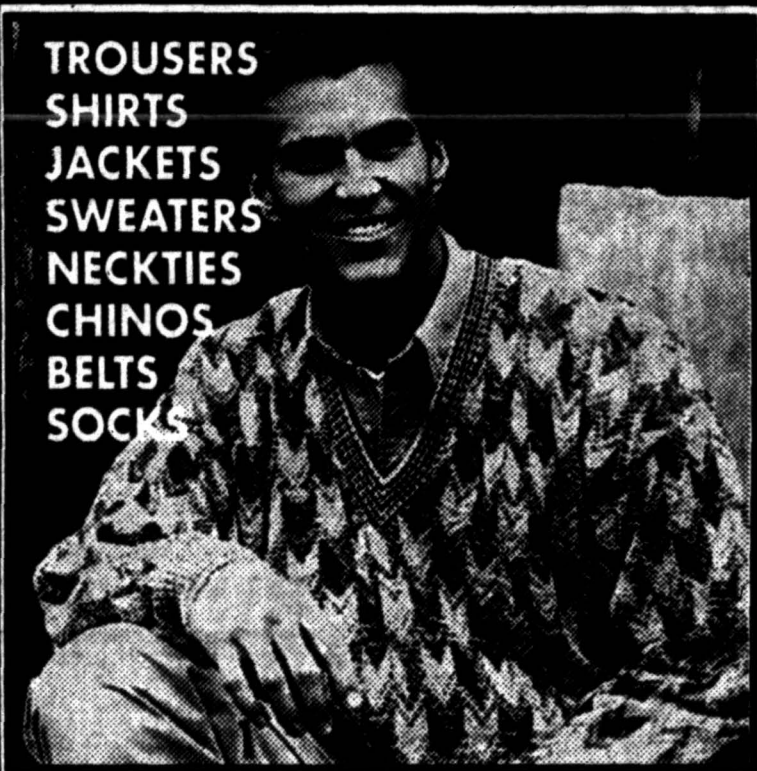
In defining the project, the committee can look at how the City of San Luis Obispo handled a similar agreement with an independent fund-raising group helping that city pursue a project. In that case, some of the critical issues included funding, delineation of roles, conflict-resolution and the selection of an architect.

"We have the design concept," Kersnar said, "but that's about it."

According to Kersnar's estimate, the steering committee could take between three and six months to come up with an agreement.

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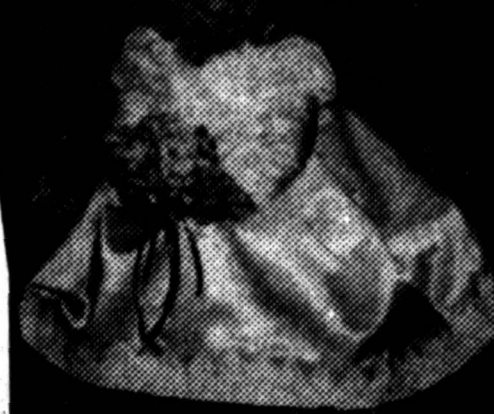
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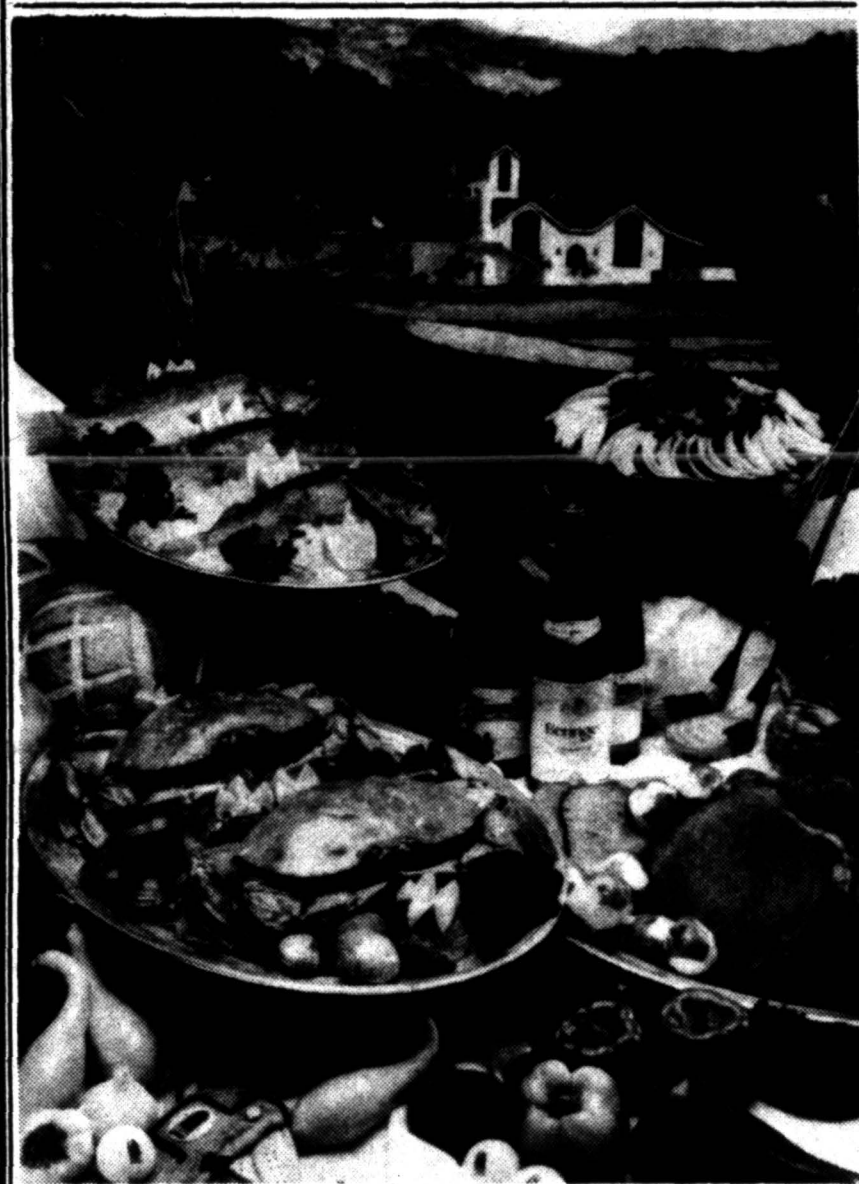
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## Sheriff's Log

### Man awoke with ex-girlfriend pointing gun at him

HERE'S A look at the more significant items of activity logged by the Monterey County Sheriff's Department from Monday, March 10 through Wednesday, March 19.

"Carmel" entries do not include calls from within the city limits of Carmel-by-the-Sea, which is under the jurisdiction of the Carmel Police Department.

#### MONDAY, MARCH 10

**Carmel Valley:** An employer accused an employee of calling her and making a death threat. The employee denied the accusation, and the employer declined to press charges. The two have a continuing civil dispute over the employee's pay. It turned out that the employer had recently fired employee.

#### TUESDAY, MARCH 11

**Carmel Valley:** A creditor reported that while trying to repossess a van from its owner, the owner ran into the creditor's car

with his other van. The creditor reported suffering numerous injuries, although none were visible. Meanwhile, the creditor wished to make a citizen's arrest.

**Big Sur:** The owner of an inn called to report numerous forged and stolen checks.

**Carmel Valley:** A man awoke to find a woman he said was a former girlfriend standing over him with his loaded Ithaca double-barrel 16-gauge shotgun in his face. The man requested no prosecution and wanted the woman removed from the property. The woman was arrested on two outstanding warrants.

#### WEDNESDAY, MARCH 12

**Carmel:** A man called to report his daughter may have overdosed on drugs. He said he wanted to leave his residence. The man was in an altered state. A cab was called to take the woman home.

**Carmel Valley:** A man was found sleep-

ing in his vehicle on Carmel Valley Road. He was found in possession of a concealed firearm, methamphetamines, drug paraphernalia and marijuana. Man was taken to jail.

#### THURSDAY, MARCH 13

**Big Sur:** A man reported that his girlfriend, 36, was lost on the Valley View Trail. State Parks found the woman and a rescue effort was canceled.

#### FRIDAY, MARCH 14

**Carmel Valley:** Four juveniles were seen lighting vehicle flares in the sandbox at Tularcitos School. The juveniles were turned over to their parents.

**Pebble Beach:** A woman, 37, reported that her husband, 55, against whom she had a restraining order, was found in her house by her housekeeper. He removed items the woman said belonged to him.

#### SATURDAY, MARCH 15

**Big Sur:** Woman reported that an unknown male shot at her from 200 to 300 yards away while she was atop a "grassy knoll." According to the woman, she dove for cover as a round ricocheted nearby. She believed the shooter to be mentally unstable.

#### SUNDAY, MARCH 16

**Carmel Valley:** A woman reported that her 16-year-old runaway son may have been in the area. Area check proved negative.

#### MONDAY, MARCH 17

No significant events reported.

#### TUESDAY, MARCH 18

**Carmel Valley:** A woman reported the theft of two guitars from her residence by her former boyfriend.

**Carmel Valley:** A woman, 61, reported that someone removed \$71 from her wallet. She suspected an acquaintance named "Jimmy Jam."

**Carmel:** A woman reported that her daughter had found a bone and wished the police to confirm it was not from a human. It was determined the bone belonged to a deer.

**Carmel Valley:** A man reported a gun missing from his residence after he let a friend stay the night. Suspect is thought to be driving a 1980 Silver Oldsmobile, California license plate 3BJU750. Suspect is thought to be in possession of an assault rifle with 10 rounds in it.

### Carmel police nab gun-wielding man after chase through business district

PINE CONE STAFF REPORT

A SEASIDE man was arrested Saturday afternoon after chasing another man through the business district and brandishing a .357 Magnum handgun in public.

At 3:30 p.m., Gustavo Hernandez, 21, of 1779 Baker St., Seaside, pulled the gun on a 21-year-old male, also from Seaside, on San Carlos between Seventh and Eighth. The confrontation was the result of an argument between the suspect and the brother of the victim.

The suspect allegedly asked the victim about his brother and then said, "I have something for you," pulling out the gun.

#### Audience watching

Several witnesses watched as the victim then ran down San Carlos with the suspect pursuing him.

The victim found Carmel parking officer, Cindi Mitchell, on the corner of San Carlos and Eighth and requested help. When Hernandez saw Mitchell, he fled. She called for assistance and two Carmel police officers arrived on the scene.

The officers searched the area and found the suspect hiding on the porch of a restaurant on San Carlos. The loaded gun was hidden under a piece of carpet within the suspect's reach. No shots were fired.

Hernandez was arrested and charged with four counts including carrying a concealed weapon.

#### WEDNESDAY, MARCH 19

**Carmel Valley:** Man reported that someone removed a female pit bull from his dog run.

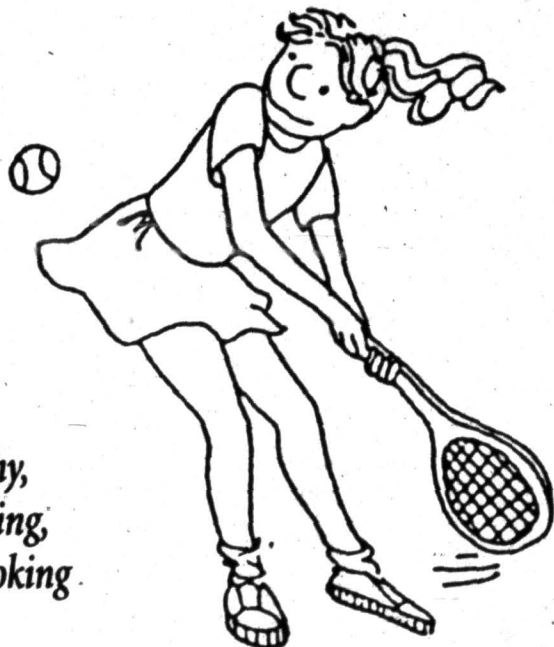
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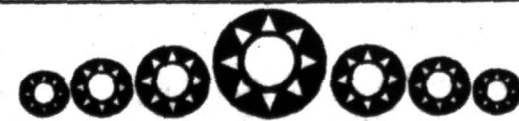


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# Signs of the Times: Their value grows as they disappear



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Barbara Brooks admits that her souvenir signs, the handiwork of local cartoonist Phil Nesbitt, were snatched decades ago by her husband's college friend.

## There is long tradition of stealing, hording, restoring venerable signs

By PAUL WOLF

WHEN IT comes to signs in Carmel, there is a typical pattern.

Signs go up to fill a useful purpose. At a certain point, they are damaged, neglected, superseded by other signs or thrown in the trash heap — only to be discovered later and deemed quaint.

History proves that these historic trophies are liable to be hoarded privately, displayed publicly and self-consciously, or stolen.

For nearly two decades, Assistant City Administrator Greg D'Ambrosio has kept in his office three signs that date back to the 1950s — identifying Ocean Avenue, San Carlos and Monte Verde.

His signs were the handiwork of Carmel-based cartoonist Phil Nesbitt.

"I found them in a trash barrel about

15 or 20 years ago," D'Ambrosio said, noting that he plans to keep them because the Local History Room of the Harrison Memorial Library already has similar signs.

Steve and Barbara Brooks of Carmel have a pair of hand-carved signs identifying Camino Real and Eleventh. They have also proved that the statute of limitations eventually runs out on stolen goods.

"An old college friend of Steve's who was visiting us had stolen these back in the '50s," Barbara Brooks said. "You can do that sort of thing when you are in college. If the authorities want to come after us for what our friend did, let them."

Barbara and Steve were involved in a more dramatic example of sign resur-

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## ■ 'Palou' sign vanishes this week without trace

By PAUL WOLF

IT IS merely a piece of wood, about three-feet-long, painted green and bearing white letters.

The street sign is worth only the lumber it is made of. Whoever swiped it did not commit grand theft; petty theft is debatable.

The subject here is the value of Carmel History and village character. It is the

"Palou" sign, whose five letters and single arrow point the way to a remote cul-de-sac west of Monte Verde.

"I've walked by that old sign since I was a girl," said Linda Smith, a Lincoln Street resident who lives a block away from where the sign was affixed to a tree at northwest Palou at Monte Verde. "It must have more than just sentimental value. I bet

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## The Regular Meeting April 1, 1997

Tuesday  
3:30 p.m. Open Session  
(Council Chambers)

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No agenda item will be considered after 9:00 p.m. unless approved by a majority vote of the City Council. Any agenda items not considered at the Regular Meeting will be continued to a future date as determined by the City Council.

Thank you for attending the meeting. The City Council welcomes your interest and participation. If you want to speak on an item on the agenda, when directed by the Mayor, go to the podium and speak on the subject. Persons are not required to give their names and addresses, but it is helpful for speakers to state their names in order that the City Clerk may identify them in the minutes of a meeting. Due to the length of the meeting and a number of items on the agenda, please keep remarks to a maximum of three (3) minutes, or as otherwise established by the City Council. Focus on the issues before the City Council, and try not to repeat information already given to the Council by a prior speaker. Always speak into the microphone, as the meeting is recorded on tape.

### I. Call to Order (3:30 p.m.)

### II. Roll Call

### III. Pledge of Allegiance (Council Member Livingston)

### IV. Extraordinary Business

Presentation of a Ten-year Service Award to Timothy K. Wood, Senior Maintenance Worker/Mason

V. Announcements from Closed Session, from City Council Members and the City Administrator

A. Announcements from Closed Session

B. Announcements from City Council representatives on outside agencies

C. Announcements from the City Administrator

### VI. Appearances

Anyone wishing to address the City Council on matters within the jurisdiction of the City may do so now. Please state the matter on which you wish to speak. Matters not appearing on the City Council's agenda will not receive action at this meeting but may be referred to staff for a future meeting. Presentations will be limited to three (3) minutes, or as otherwise established by the City Council. Persons are not required to give their names and addresses, but it is helpful for speakers to state their names in order that the City Clerk may identify them in the minutes of the meeting.

### VII. Consent Calendar

A. Approve the City Council minutes for the meetings of 4 and 11 March 1997, copies having been distributed to members of the City Council

B. Approve the bills paid for the month of March, copies having been distributed to members of the City Council

C. Adopt Resolution No. 97-28 awarding the bid for the Forest Theatre Electrical Service

D. Adopt Resolution No. 97-20 transferring funds from the Liability Insurance Reserve to the Liability Insurance Account to cover expenses for the City's Self-insured Retention

E. Approve the Advanced Planning Work Program for Calendar Year 1997

F. Adopt Resolution No. 97-37 approving the allocation of local Transportation Act Funds (LTF) and a portion of Section 2105 Gas Tax Revenues for transportation purposes

G. Adopt Resolution No. 97-33 transferring funds in the amount of \$100,000 from the Workers' Compensation Reserve Fund to the Workers' Compensation Insurance Account to cover expenses for the City's Workers' Compensation Self-funded Program

H. Adopt Resolution No. 97-36 authorizing an expenditure of \$75 from the City Council's Discretionary Account to cover the fees to reserve three parking spaces in front of Piccadilly Park during the Carmel Garden Club's fund-raising event on May 4, 1997

I. Adopt Resolution No. 97-32 transferring funds from the Fire Department's Donations and Fire/Rescue Equipment Funds to the Fire Department's Equipment Maintenance Account for the Repair of the Hurst Rescue Tool

J. Adopt Resolution No. 97-30 accepting gifts of \$5,000 from the La Playa Hotel and the Carmel-by-the-Sea Rotary Club for use in installing improvements at Forest Hill Park

K. Adopt Resolution No. 97-31 authorizing an expenditure of \$5,000 from City Council's Discretionary Account to pay for materials to complete the Forest Hill Park improvements

L. Authorize the Mayor to send a letter to the Memorialization Committee at the Defense Language Institute endorsing the renaming of the "POM" Annex at the former Fort Ord in memory of General Joseph W. Stilwell

M. Authorize the Mayor to write a letter on behalf of the City Council expressing its concern regarding design standards and size of the commercial advertising displayed on Monterey-Salinas Transit buses

N. Approve the request of Sunshine Surf and Sport to hold its annual "Surfabout" at Carmel Beach on Saturday and Sunday, June 21 and 22

O. Ratify appointments to the Steering Committee for the development of an agreement between the City of Carmel-by-the-Sea and Sunset Center for the Arts for the Sunset Center Theater Renovation Project

P. Ratify appointments to the Steering Committee for the R-1 Design Traditions Project

Q. Adopt Resolution No. 97-38 awarding the bid for electric chain hoists for Sunset Center Theater

R. Adopt Resolution No. 97-39 awarding the bid for Sunset Center Administration modular work stations

### VIII. Public Hearings

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### IX. Ordinances

THE FOLLOWING ITEMS ARE SCHEDULED AGENDA ITEMS BUT ARE NOT NOTICED AS PUBLIC HEARINGS. THE CITY COUNCIL SHALL ACCEPT NEW INFORMATION ON THESE ITEMS BY OPENING A PERIOD FOR PUBLIC COMMENT AFTER EACH ITEM ANNOUNCED. IF YOU WISH TO SPEAK ON AN ITEM, PLEASE RISE AND APPROACH THE PODIUM AFTER THE ITEM HAS BEEN INTRODUCED AND THE STAFF REPORT COMPLETED. PLEASE WAIT TO BE RECOGNIZED BY THE MAYOR.

A. Consideration of Ordinance No. 97-02 amending Municipal Code Sections 17.06.076 and 17.06.040 related to the definitions and standards for restaurants and food uses in the commercial district (2nd reading)

B. Consideration of Ordinance No. 97-04 amending Title 2, Chapter 2.38 of the Municipal Code, Recreation Commission, by changing the name of the Recreation Division to Community Activities and Recreation Division, and the name of the Recreation Commission to the Community Activities and Recreation Commission (2nd reading)

C. Consideration of Ordinance No. 97-05 authorizing an amendment to the contract between the City Council of the City of Carmel-by-the-Sea and the Board of Administration of the California Public Employees Retirement System City to provide Section 21382.5 (Fourth Level of 1959 Survivors Benefits) for local Miscellaneous members and local Safety members pursuant to the 1996-97 Memoranda of Understanding (1st reading)

1. Consideration of Resolution No. 97-34 agreeing to pool 1959 Survivor Benefits Assets and Liabilities between the Board of Administration of the California Public Retirement System and the City Council of the City of Carmel-by-the-Sea

2. Consideration of Resolution No. 97-35, Resolution of Intention to approve an amendment to Contract between the Board of Administration of the California Public Employees Retirement System and the City Council of the City of Carmel-by-the-Sea

D. Consideration of Ordinance No. 97-03 amending Chapter 17.26 of the Municipal Code to rezone the Piccadilly Park Property (Block 75, Lot 11) from Central Commercial (CC) to P-2 (Improved Parklands) (2nd reading)

### X. Orders of Council

A. Receive presentation by the Carmel-by-the-Sea Garden Club on the final landscape design for the Piccadilly Park project and authorize the Garden Club to proceed with construction drawings and bidding of the project; receive presentation from staff on Commission comments on the design and provide policy direction

B. Receive staff report and responses to questions raised by the City Council concerning the Carmel Performing Arts Festival scheduled for October 4 through 25, 1997, and receive a presentation from Robin McKee, Executive Director on the event

C. Receive staff report on Policy C95-06, "Short-term Private Use of Public Spaces and Municipal Buildings for Special Events," and consider Resolution No. 97-23 amending said Policy

C. Receive staff report on the custodial services contract and provide policy direction regarding a one-year extension \$0.

### XI. Resolutions

See the Consent Calendar and Orders of Council.

### XII. Adjournment

The next meetings of the City Council will be:

Special Meeting (Budget)

Thursday

April 3, 1997

3:30 p.m.

City Hall Council Chambers

The Regular Meeting

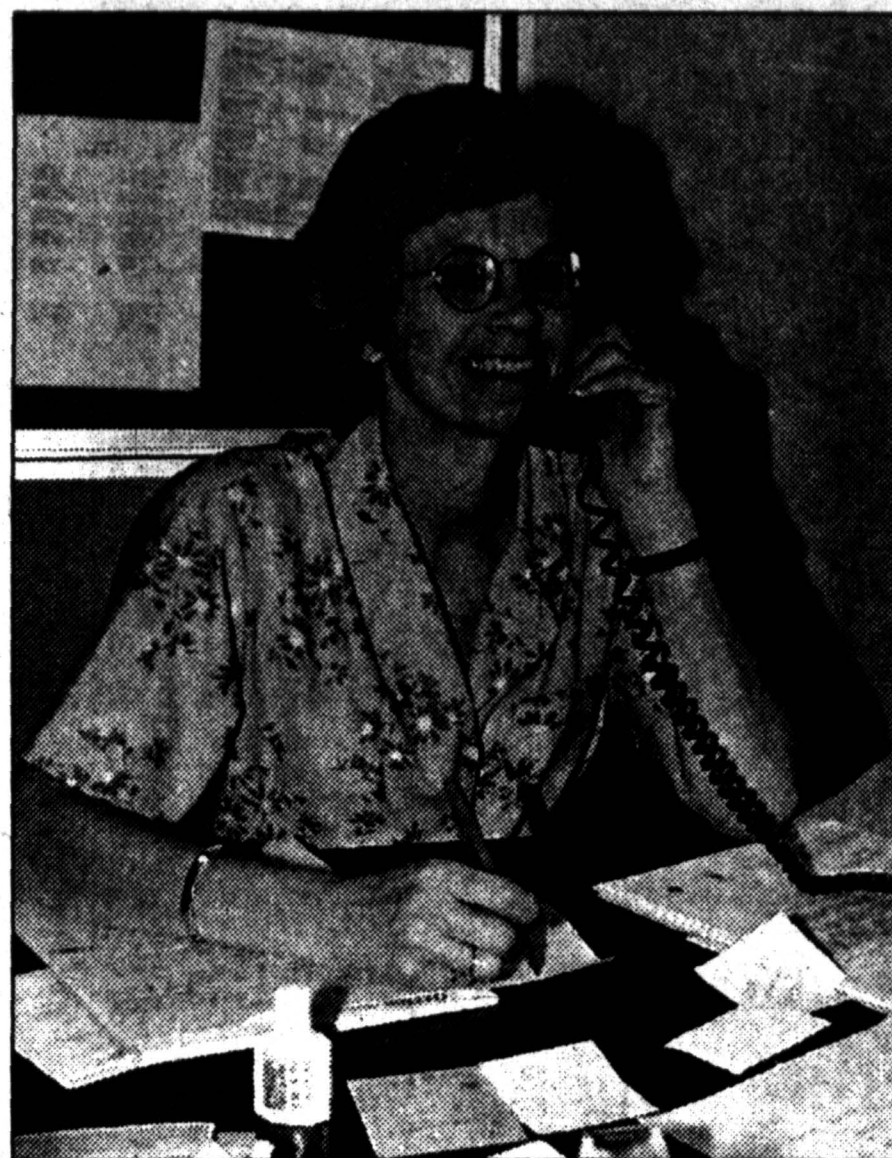
Tuesday, May 6, 1997

3:00 p.m. (Closed Session)

3:30 p.m. (Open Session)

City Hall Council Chambers

# ... MORE THAN A PHONE CALL AWAY



Pat Garrigues, executive director of the Suicide Prevention & Crisis Center, says her organization's establishment of an outreach program underscores the need to do more than working the phones, which albeit critical, don't provide help to all who need it.

PHOTO/CHUCK SCARDINA

## Goal of realizing suicide, crisis center for Central Coast step closer to reality following merger of tri-county agencies

By JERRY STEWART

OVER THE last few years, Monterey County has averaged one suicide per week.

In 1996 alone, there were 53 suicides, compared to 29 homicides, and each suicide intimately affected at least six other people.

It's the eighth leading cause of death in the United States, and the number of survivors grows by 180,000 each year.

The chances that the suicide of a loved one, a friend or a colleague has or will affect you sometime in your lifetime is very high.

But there is hope so long as people are interested in intervening at crucial moments.

One organization on the Peninsula that is trying to make a difference is the Suicide Prevention & Crisis Center of Monterey and San Benito counties.

### Merger provides optimism

And after recently merging with the Family Service Association of Santa Cruz County and the Santa Cruz County Suicide Prevention Center, that glimmer of hope is shining brighter throughout all three counties.

"We're very excited about the merger," said Diane Brice, director of Suicide Prevention Services. "The merger is taking two separate non-profit agencies and combining resources. Our goal is for both services to work as one."

"Our big goal is to have a Suicide Prevention and Crisis Center of the Central Coast," said Pat Garrigues, program director for the survivor/outreach program.

The center's new mission is to provide suicide and crisis intervention, community education and outreach, and support and referral to persons at risk of suicide and suicidal behavior in Monterey, Santa Cruz and San Benito counties.

In addition to a 24-hour crisis line, which has existed since 1968, the center has, over the years, developed a Survivors of a Sudden Death Program and Loving Outreach for Survivors of a Suicide (LOSS).

"As we grew, we realized we needed to do more than answer phones, so we started the outreach program," Garrigues said. "Our role as volunteers is to get out and

support people. Unlike the crisis line, we do our program work face-to-face."

### Support group

Currently, both Monterey and Santa Cruz counties have a support group that meets twice a month for those who have lost someone to suicide.

Another one of the goals of the center is to educate the public about suicide.

"We want to teach people that this will not just go away," Garrigues said.

According to Garrigues, an example of someone who will call the 24-hour crisis line is a person who feels he or she doesn't have anyone to talk or may be contemplating drastic measures.

"The caller may be thinking about suicide but they've never said the words out loud," Garrigues said. "Our volunteers help that person talk about and unravel their feelings."

She said most callers are in a "relationship crisis."

"That relationship could be with a partner, job, school or anything. They reach a point where they feel hopeless, helpless and worthless."

Many callers use the line every day to "maintain themselves," Garrigues noted.

"They call not necessarily to stay alive but to just get through the day, when others don't have time to talk," she said.

### A constant battle

The merger also will make more support groups available to those needing help.

"When people go to the grief groups, it's important," Garrigues said. "They battle every day with staying alive themselves. I've had people come to a group when a suicide had occurred 20 years earlier."

The director confirmed there is a stigma surrounding suicide in today's world.

"Society shames people for getting psychological help," Garrigues said.

Meanwhile, like any nonprofit organization, the center annually struggles to stay afloat.

"We always need volunteers for the crisis line and financial support," Garrigues said.

Last January 1, the center was given a

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# SUICIDE: Center buoyed by Rio Run proceeds

## Suicide & Crisis Center: A closer look

### SERVICES & PROGRAMS

#### ■ SURVIVORS OF SUDDEN DEATH PROGRAM

This program offers face-to-face support for family members or friends of people who have died unexpectedly (due to suicide, accident, illness or violent crime). Volunteers for this program are trained in grief support and guidance with a special emphasis on supporting those who are survivors of a suicide. Phone number: 375-6966.

#### ■ LOVING OUTREACH FOR SURVIVORS OF A SUICIDE (L.O.S.S.)

This support group provides an opportunity for friends, family members and loved ones who have lost someone to suicide to come together and share their feelings and experiences with others who have suffered the same kind of loss.

#### ■ COMMUNITY EDUCATION

A Community Speakers Bureau provides speakers to service clubs, organizations, businesses and other community-based agencies. In addition, the bureau provides in-service training to professionals and other health care providers working with suicidal people.

#### ■ ADMINISTRATIVE LINE

24-hour Crisis Line (140 languages available)  
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huge boost by receiving all of the proceeds from the annual Rio Resolution Run, which is sponsored by the Rio Grill, a restaurant in the Carmel Crossroads.

The proceeds from the race totaled \$7,500.

"We picked the suicide center out of 100 charities," said Brian LaGrange, Rio Grill general manager. "We want to get their name out there. Hopefully, in three to four years, they will be a household name."

Rio Grill employees learned first-hand the impact of suicide — one of their fellow workers committed suicide in January 1996.

"People want to make sure the money is going somewhere good," LaGrange said. "We want to get a level of awareness out there."

#### Lack of funding

In 1995, the center was forced to shut down all operations, except for the 24-hour crisis line, for two weeks due to a lack of funding.

"That period gave us the idea of merging because we're both small non-profit organizations," Garrigues said.

Garrigues said the center is funded through the United Way, and foundations such as Community Foundation for

Monterey County, the Harden Foundation and many other small local foundations.

"A lot of organizations in Monterey County support the center," said Brice. "As one organization, we can share resources and be more cost-effective and more supportive."

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## Carmel Fire Dept. to offer NERT class

THE CARMEL Fire Department will be offering a Neighborhood Emergency Response Team (NERT) class on eight consecutive Mondays, beginning April 14.

The class, to be taught from 9 a.m. to noon through June 2, provides instruction on disaster preparedness.

There is no charge, and preregistration is requested. More information: 624-1718.

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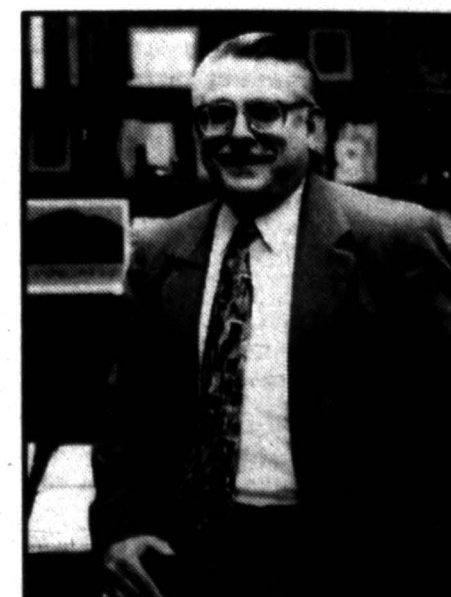
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# MILL CREEK

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than the process for the project," Shallcross told The Pine Cone this week.

Richard Wilson, director of the CDF's resources agency, a Gov. Pete Wilson-appointed official, is scheduled to make a decision on the Mill Creek timber harvest plan (THP) on April 22.

Meanwhile, AB187, which would give county boards of supervisors the right to hear appeals, has yet to emerge from the Assembly's Natural Resources Committee and hit the Assembly floor. The bill can be killed at any stage of its development.

"We are expecting a tough fight every step of the way," said Jennifer Winthope, Keeley's Santa Cruz field representative.

## Bad day for Washington

From the start of the meeting, it was clear last Friday would not be Washington's day.

He had come under fire over a last-minute change in the hearing's venue, as the meeting was supposed to be held at the Big Sur Grange but was switched to the Big Sur Station. The assistant chief attributed the change of venue to a scheduling conflict. "We are sorry about it," he told the room. "We are all human."

Some logging opponents, however, portrayed the venue change as a classic example of out-of-area government officials keeping a local meeting hush-hush.

"I guess they are trying to keep it from us," muttered one logging opponent as he directed motorists from one location to another.

At the hearing, anti-logging forces had a virtual monopoly on the microphone. "I don't think you (the state) have any respect for our watersheds or the well-being of locals," said Big Sur resident Matthew Mechem, arguing that the harvest plan would cause further erosion and increase the runoff of sedimentation in the neighboring creeks.

There were also concerns about possible ill effects on steelhead trout spawning grounds in Mill Creek.

"We moved to Big Sur to get away from the city, but you want to move the big city here," Mechem declared.

Locals had company in their opposition to Big Sur timber harvesting in general and the THP in particular:

■ An aide to State Sen. Bruce McPherson, R-Santa Cruz, read a statement that urged the Department of Forestry to deny the project.

"Logging activity, no matter how carefully done, disturbs the natural conditions of the surrounding environment," McPherson wrote.

■ Shallcross appeared on behalf of Keeley, whose legislation was inspired by the Mill Creek controversy and another one in Palo Colorado, also in Big Sur.

■ Fifth District Monterey County Supervisor Dave Potter, whose domain includes Big Sur as well as Carmel and most of the Peninsula, said, "The time when Big Sur was known for timber is passed. Our greatest resource is the beauty of this area."

■ Bud Carney, supervising planner for the Monterey County Planning Department's coastal team, called the harvest plan "wonton destruction."

While Carney argued that the proposal fails to take into account the regulations contained in the Big Sur Land Use Plan. Whitlock, the harvest plan's architect, argued that it conforms in all details.

Whitlock said the facts seem stark: The loss of trees up to 400 years old, with heights up to 180 feet. But he noted that, "These trees, growing on poor soil, are not crown jewels."

Natural regeneration, he said, will begin to create much-needed understory (low-canopy trees) redwoods in as soon as five to 10 years.

Whitlock said he has "no problem" with the effort to give counties the right to hear appeals on CDF board decisions. Nevertheless, he maintains that the plan he devised meets the relevant planning documents and forestry prac-

See BIG SUR back page

## CV site of 'Scholar-in-Residence' program

A WEEKEND "Scholar-in-Residence" program, featuring Rabbi Steven Foster, will be held at Congregation Beth Israel at 8 p.m. Friday.

Foster, senior Rabbi of Congregation Emanuel in Denver, will focus on issues that confront families of interfaith marriages. He will discuss questions, such as:

■ How do we help interfaith families raise Jewish children?

■ What rituals are appropriate for the non-Jewish family members?

The weekend program continues at 10 a.m. Saturday. Congregation Beth Israel is located at 5716 Carmel Valley Road, Carmel Valley.

More information: 624-2015.

# PALOU

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it would fetch something at an auction."

The town may never find out if Smith's right, as the sign, built in the early or mid-1940s by Carmelite Fred Seville, and restored in recent years, is gone without a trace.

## Village gone crazy

"What's the matter with this town?" asked Enid Sales, chairwoman of the Carmel Historic Preservation Committee and the town's unofficial preservation guru.

Sales noted that private and public buildings and other community assets have been categorized as part of the city's fledgling historic register, but signs apparently fall between the historic preservation cracks.

"I've never actually thought about this (compiling a sign register)," Sales said.

If she did, she would discover that many of these landmarks are out on permanent loan. (See related story.)

Meanwhile, Jon Hagstrom, the man who restored the sign, said he would be willing to ensure that crime does pay.

He is offering a \$100 reward to anyone who returns it. "My offer is sight unseen," Hagstrom said. "Maybe the reward will teach somebody about the value of something like this. This sign is a landmark. You can't find Palou without it. It is critical to navigation."

Carmel Mayor Ken White expressed sorrow at the disappearance of the sign, but was optimistic. "This is Easter vacation, the season of pranks. Someone's conscience will weigh on them."

## Remembering the boulder

White was reminded of an incident last year, when a two-ton boulder — a vestige of the old Carmel River Bridge, destroyed in the March 1995 flood — was stolen from a yard near Carmel Middle School.

The sentimental object that became the center piece for a park next to the new bridge was returned as mysteriously as it disappeared.

So far, said Carmel Police Detective Sgt. Pete Poitras said, the police department has not made efforts to find the sign. "For now, I don't think there is much we can do about it," he said. "I don't want to sound insensitive that this sign got ripped off, but I am not sure what we can do."

# SIGNS

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rection, renovation and rehanging.

About a year ago, Brooks encountered an old sign that was kept by her next-door neighbor, Marcia Kuster Rider. Ted Kuster, Marcia's father, built the Golden Bough Theatre on Monte Verde.

In 1952, the oak-board sign, built by Carmelite Johnny Bartlett, was affixed to a pine tree near the Casanova entrance of the tiny Circle Theater.

When the Golden Bough was converted from a playhouse to a movie house in the late 1960s, the sign was discarded. Its most intriguing use over the years has been that of a patio table top, said Brooks.

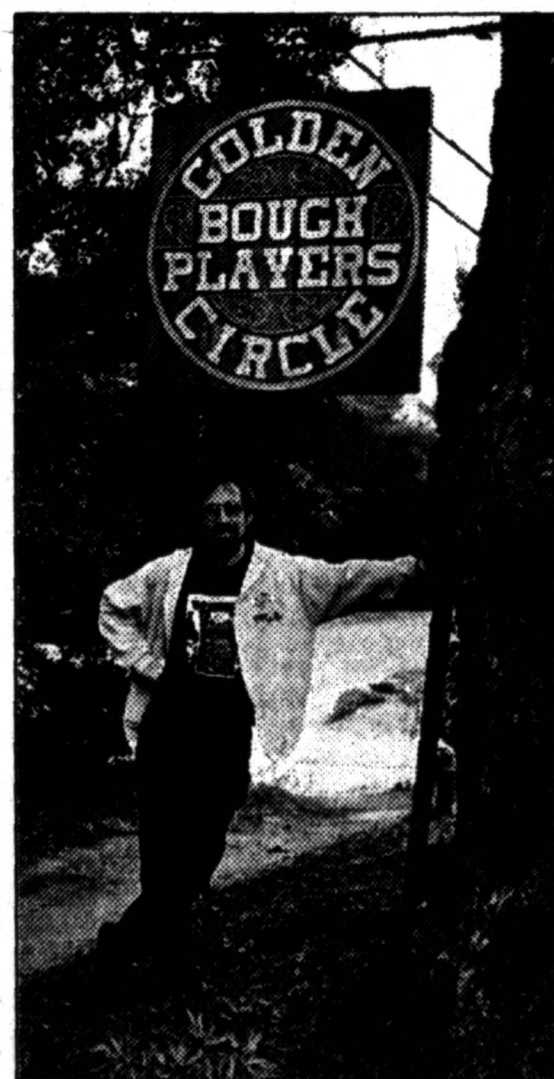
As she and her husband oversaw the sign's renovation, Stephen Moor, artistic director of Pacific Repertory Theatre Co., which owns the Golden Bough, was eager to see the piece return to its original home.

"When an artifact like this comes back, it feels as though it was meant to be," said Moor. "There is a sense of completion."

Over the past two decades, the wrought-iron holders remained on the pine tree's trunk. The sign is fastened to them, so it would take some work to word choice it.

D'Ambrosio said he wouldn't dare put his street signs back in their original spots. "They wouldn't last but 10 minutes out there," he said.

The assistant city administrator did note that there is one Nesbitt sign still standing in the village. He wouldn't give the newspaper the location — for obvious reasons.



PHOTO/PAUL WOLF

Stephen Moor with the Golden Bough sign back at its original home.

## Public notices

### FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970570  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as CARMEL VALLEY OUTLOOK, PACIFIC GROVE MONARCH, 4th & Mission, Carmel, CA 93921.  
CARMEL COMMUNICATIONS INCORPORATED, 4th & Mission, Carmel, CA 93921.  
This business is conducted by a corporation.  
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1/1/97.

(s) Warren A. Brown, Pres.  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Mar. 19, 1997.  
Publication dates: March 27, Apr. 3, 10, 17, 1997.  
(PC378)

### FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970564  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as MONTEREY PENINSULA REALTY, P.O. Box 5331, NE Corner on Torres and 8th Streets, Carmel, CA 93921.  
JOHN R. BRUGGER, NE Corner on Torres and 8th Streets, Carmel, CA 93921.  
This business is conducted by an individual.

(s) John R. Brugger  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Mar. 18, 1997.  
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(PC379)

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The following person(s) is (are) doing business as CUSTOM MAINTENANCE & REPAIR, 1165 Luxton Street, Seaside CA 93955.  
JAMES FRANCIS YATES, 1165 Luxton Street, Seaside CA 93955.  
RACHELLE DARLENE YATES, 1165 Luxton Street, Seaside CA 93955.  
This business is conducted by

(s) James F. Yates  
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a husband and wife.

(s) James F. Yates  
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This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Mar. 14, 1997.  
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(PC380)

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(s) Hugues Beck, president  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 5, 1997.  
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(PC275)

### FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970372  
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PETER DAVI, 1027 Roosevelt St., Monterey, Ca. 93940.  
This business is conducted by an individual.

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(s) Peter Davi  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 20, 1997.  
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(PC369)

### FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970554  
The following person(s) is (are)

doing business as ADD WEBFEAT, WEBFEATS @ MONTEREY BAY, HYPNOSTAL COACHING CENTER, 3908 Ronda Rd. Pebble Beach, Ca. 93953.

PATRICIA T. ROBB, same as above.  
This business is conducted by an individual.

(s) Patricia Robb  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Mar. 17, 1997.  
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### FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970555  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as IN2 MARKETING, 1061 Portola Drive, Monterey, CA. 93940-5542.  
REBECCA A. HANEY, 1061 Portola Drive, Monterey, Ca. 93940-5542.  
RICHARD D. CADA, 1061 Portola Dr., Monterey, Ca. 93940-5542.  
This business is conducted by a general partnership.

(s) Rebecca A. Haney  
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name listed above on March 15, 1997.  
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### FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970542  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as PACIFIC ABALONE FARMS, 1312 Lincoln Ave. Pacific Grove, Ca. 93950.  
GARY ALLEN RUSSELL, 1312 Lincoln Ave., Pacific Grove, Ca. 93950.  
This business is conducted by an individual.

(s) Gary A. Russell  
Registrant commenced to transact business under the

fictitious business name listed above on 2/27/85.

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### NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY OF ANNUAL REPORT OF OPPORTUNITY WITH LEGACY FOUNDATION.

To whom it may concern.  
Notice is hereby given as required under Sec. 6056. of the Internal Revenue Code that the annual report of the Opportunity with Legacy Foundation is available for inspection at the principal offices of the Foundation during regular business hours by any citizen who requests it within 180 days after the date of this publication. Requests for inspection should be made to the Foundation at 25199 Casiano, Salinas, CA 93908.

Dated: 1997.  
R.E. Eckerman, Principal Manager of the Opportunity with Legacy Foundation.  
Publication dates: March 27, 1997.  
(PC382)

### FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970417  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as CLARKE CATALANO CONSULTING, 14 White Tail Lane, Monterey, Ca. 93940.

JUDITH ANNE CLARKE CATALANO, 14 White Tail Lane, Monterey, Ca. 93940.  
DONALD ANTHONY CATALANO, 14 White Tail Lane, Mtry., Ca. 93940.  
This business is conducted by a limited liability company.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1/10/97.  
(s) Judith Clarke Catalano  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 26, 1997.  
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(PC365)



# CARMEL POINT

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which would allow the construction of an educational or scientific building, such as a marine facility.

When Kuster first considered selling the property in 1989, residents were alarmed. "People kept tearing down the first 'For Sale' sign," Kuster said. "It didn't last 24 hours."

Kuster received letters from realtors and investors, including two offers Kuster described as "way up there."

Two to three years ago, Kuster contacted the land trust to gauge its interest, but at that point the organization wasn't able to buy the land. Last May, Kuster offered the property to the land trust at \$100,000 and it accepted the offer.

At that point the land trust set right to work raising the money. Steen caught the public's attention last fall by placing an orange fence and a realtor's sign on the property. Upon closer inspection, worried residents found that the sign read: "Preservation Pending."

Pending, that is, on private donations.

## 'Stampede to give money'

Three hundred people contributed to the campaign and the City of Carmel gave a \$10,000 donation. "There was a stampede to give money," said Big Sur Land Trust advisor Joyce Stevens.

The smallest donation came from a four-year-old boy who gave a dollar.

"We did everything we could," Steen said about the project, "but the community did it."

The land trust, which has preserved 14,500 acres in Monterey County, will keep the title to Carmel Point until the city will be able to extend a walkway to it. At that time, the land trust will convey the property to the city.

"We know that 50 years from now, this point will be

as it is now," said Dick Hammond, land trust president.

Over the years, the coastline near Carmel Point and along Scenic Road has changed, as most of the area in the neighborhood of Robinson Jeffers' Tor House was open space.

The only "structure" that will sit on Carmel Point is a commemorative bench with a dazzling view of the ocean. The Big Sur Land Trust appropriately dedicated the bench to the Kuster family.

# ARTS FESTIVAL

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orchestrated in a tasteful fashion. Its primary mission would be to pull together Carmel, Peninsula and county acts, with just a few "headliners" from out of the area thrown into the mix.

Festival supporters admitted they got off on the wrong foot with the council by forming their board, soliciting and receiving grant funding and scheduling event dates before the council had been presented with the plan.

Having received a tepid response from the council, festival directors, according to McKee, have:

- Reduced the span of the festival from 21 to 15 days.
- Ensured that the event would permit no more than five to six acts taking place at once under the banner of the Carmel Performing Arts Festival.

- Struck out references in the plan to street performers and other possible public disruptions. A possible exception to that restriction might be performances at Devendorf Park, which is off Ocean between Junipero and Mission.

## Gray whales in spotlight at lecture tonight

JUD VANDEVERE will lead a lecture at 7:30 tonight on the breeding habits of California Gray Whales, based on his seven visits to Baja, Calif., where the construction of a salt harvest facility has been proposed.

Vandevere's talk is titled, "Gray Whale Breeding and Calving Lagoons of Baja: Will a Grain of Salt Destroy Them?" The free talk is presented by the American Cetacean Society, Monterey Bay Chapter, and will be held in Hopkins Marine Station Lecture Hall, across from the American Tin Cannery in Pacific Grove.

More information: 622-0800.


# PINE CONE


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Paul and Kirstie will provide the dedication and talent needed to maintain the Pine Cone's vital role in the community."

During his tenure as managing editor, Thompson updated the appearance of the newspaper, strengthened its editorial voice and introduced new sections for sports, opinion and real estate.

"Every issue of The Pine Cone over the last four years reflects Doug's remarkable energy, intelligence and vision," said Paul Wolf, managing editor since November. "As a native of Carmel, he knew countless people and understood the issues of the community as well as anyone I know."





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# Women's Club spotlights CV history and fashions

By VIRGINIA PARKE

"Time goes, you say? Ah no!  
Alas, Time stays, we go."

— Austin Dobson, *The Paradox of Time*

"FASHIONS NOW and Then" is the theme of the Carmel Valley Women's Club annual fashion show luncheon, arriving Wednesday.

The parade of costumes will begin with outfits dated about the same time as the official founding of Carmel Valley in 1889, reflecting some of the Valley's history and continuing through the 1950s. The costumes will share the spotlight with today's attire as "time stays and we go."

Named "El Valle Del Carmelo" in 1602 by Spanish explorer Sebastian Viscaíno, Valley development began in 1834 when Rafael Gomez was awarded a major land grant he called Rancho Los Tularcitos. The Rancho Los Laureles land grant followed in 1839 to Jose Boronda. Others came and the first post office opened in 1889, serving a thriving community of 250.

Club member and model Karen Jensen would have been a hit during that era wearing an undergarment bloomer outfit of pink and white lace appropriate for boudoir encounters of the risque kind — tame by today's standards — almost every inch of skin is covered.

The Pacific Improvement Company purchased Rancho Los Laureles in 1882 and began producing Senora Boronda's pressed white cheese under the label "Monterey Jack." Yes, California's most famous cheese was launched in Carmel Valley.

An elegant lady's wardrobe during this time could have included a dark red taffeta dress with flared cuffs and stylish matching hat adorned with plumes. Member Lynn Foster will rustle down the runway dressed in this outfit she calls her "Miss Kitty dress."

## Emphasis switched from cattle to pears

The Valley began switching from cattle and dairy in the early 1900s. On mid-valley acres purchased from James Meadows, James Berwick cultivated Nelis pears from cuttings brought to the Peninsula by Father Lasuen in 1795. Carmel Valley became known world-wide for his pears. This continued until the loss of foreign markets during World War II. The mid-valley Carmel River flood plain acreage was converted to produce and grain farming.

An arm-revealing, long-flowing black velvet dress, modeled by club member Karina Rusk of KION-TV, was

recorded as the wedding dress for a young lady in the early 1900s. Fashions and attitudes were changing along with the Valley.

During this time William Crocker, one of the Pacific Improvement Company founders, brought in Samuel F. B. Morse to liquidate Monterey County holdings. Morse, a grandnephew of telegraph inventor fame, formed the Del Monte Properties Company and subdivided Rancho Los Laureles land. Part of that subdivision became Carmel Valley Village.

Dressed in a striped black and white suit, vintage around 1910, model Dolores McGlochlin would have been admired by other guests who might have attended one of the famous chicken dinners at the Rancho Carmelo. Social life in the Valley centered around events held in Valley homes.

While the mid and lower Valley converted to farming, cattle ranching in the upper Valley's Cachagua-Miller Canyon region continued. On a quiet, clear morning, the calls of cattle can still be heard in the Village.

Ranching family descendant Leo Berta remembers when his family bought its first car in 1918. Until that time they would drive a wagon to Salinas for supplies, a five to six hour trip one-way. Fences lined the road in those days, and there was very little traffic. An occasional tractor or horse-drawn wagon could contribute to a traffic jam.

Outfitted in a beige driving duster and cap, Club member Betty Hites would have turned heads as she flew down the unpaved Valley Road. It would have been a fragrant and dusty trip. Supplies had to be acquired before the rains came. During the rainy winter months, the road became an impassable mud pit.

Gracing a parlor gathering on a rainy winter's day, Club model and president Dorothy Lehman would have serenely served tea wearing a pastel pink day dress accented with



The C.V. Women's Club fashion luncheon committee is composed of, from left, Connie Samora, June Fellows, Karen Jensen, Betty Hites, Karina Rusk, Dorothy Lehman, Lynn Foster and Dolores McGlochlin. Inset photo at lower left features Dolores McGlochlin and Betty Hites standing before the 1929 Ford sports coupe owned by Ed McGlochlin.

a pearl tie necklace in 1919 — a blink away from the "Roaring '20s."

In those years, Robles del Rio (the River Oaks) was developed by Frank Porter. The first real estate office was housed in what is now known as Rosie's Cracker Barrel. This was before Carmel Valley Village existed. The upper Valley was still considered a wild and remote part of the Peninsula.

## Flyers discover Valley during World War II

During World War II many flyers were rerouted to the Village airport when Watsonville became fogbound. The Valley was introduced to the world.

Clarence, the eldest son of the founder of the now closed Holman's Department Store in Pacific Grove, bought a ranch just north of what became the Village in 1943. The Holman Ranch became the center of social life in the Valley in the 1950s and '60s.

Dancing to the music of the era, Club member and model June Fellows would have caught admiring glances when she twirled in a deep blue skirt decorated with a white poodle. The 20th Century was in full swing.

The decorations for the fashion show have been provided by member Connie Samora.

"Each table will have Barbie dolls modeling different costumes, sort of a miniature fashion show," she states. Dolores McGlochlin provided the antique costumes being modeled.

Most of the historical information was gathered from the files at the Carmel Valley Branch Library and reflect only small snippets of the area's rich history.

Time is staying, enriched by all who have been part of Carmel Valley, while we move on.

## Fashion luncheon opens with social hour

The "Fashion Now and Then" luncheon will be held at the Rancho Cañada Country Club. The event begins with an 11:30 a.m. social hour; luncheon begins at 12:15 p.m. Modern outfits will be presented by Harriet Duncan of Carmel. Tickets are \$18.50. Reservations: call Karen Jensen at 625-3680.

The Carmel Valley Women's Club was organized in 1949 and incorporated in 1964. Today the club has 125 members. Its purpose is social, civic and educational. It is non-sectarian and open to all women interested in being a part of Carmel Valley life. The club meets the first Wednesday of each month from September through June. Annual dues are \$15.

The fund-raisers held throughout the year include a benefit drawing luncheon, a "game-day" party, a silent auction and a garage-bake sale. Recipients of the funds raised have included the Carmel Valley, Mid-Valley and Cachagua Ambulance and Rescue Team; Carmel Valley Community Youth Center; Carmel Valley Library; Hidden Valley Scholarship; Rippling River Residents' Fund; The 4-H and Girl Scout Camperships.

In recent years the club has provided a \$1,000 educational scholarship to a graduating high school female student. This year's chair, Dorothy McEwen, reminds applicants that the deadline is Monday, April 7. She can be reached at 659-2640.



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# Newly sworn-in attorney, CV's Farina makes splash into travel business

By PAUL WOLF

SCOUTING FOR orangutans in Malaysia, gorillas in Rwanda and tigers in Nepal has led a unique path to Fran Farina's latest adventure — launching a Carmel Valley travel business.

Farina, who's nurtured a 25-year love affair with travel, is finalizing the conversion of Mid Valley Travel (108 Mid Valley Shopping Center) into Uniglobe Unlimited Travel.

President of her company, Exceptional Enterprises, Inc., Farina bought the business from Pamela Norton, a three-decade veteran of the industry, in a deal that closed Feb. 3.

A new shingle for the storefront is being made, and Farina is putting the finishing touches on the terms of her franchise arrangement with Uniglobe.

"While the conversion won't be finished until the end of

April, this makes no difference to the public because we can still meet its needs," Farina told The Pine Cone this week.

Norton and two part-time staffers will stay on under the new ownership, according to Farina, noting she has also hired one more full-time employee.

"My primary purpose will be to grow the business and increase our clientele," Farina said.

One of Farina's immediate goals, however, is improving the computer capability of the existing business.

## Travel and animals

Over the years, Farina's safaris have been an expression of her twin passions: travel and animals.

"My passion for these animals and seeing the encroachment of mankind on their terrain accounts for much of what I have done," Farina said.

Farina was referring not only to her entry into the travel business, but her involvement in environmental causes.

As chairwoman of the water board from January to November 1995, Farina fervently argued the proposed New Los Padres Dam would save the fast-drying Carmel River environmental, as well as achieve the Peninsula's water-supply objectives. (The bond Measure to build the project failed in the November 1995 election.)

Over the past year, she has done some consulting on



Pamela Norton  
... The seller



Fran Farina  
... New owner

water issues for the California Water Services Co. of San Jose. She has also studied for the California State Bar exam, which she passed in November.

As a new attorney in California, she intends to take on only selective cases, mainly relating to water, land use and the environment. Already an attorney in Florida, Farina will divide her time between the new business and her legal practice. "It's a full life, and I am enjoying every part of it," she said.

## CV Chamber co-sponsors advertising, marketing seminar

THE CARMEL Valley Chamber of Commerce, in conjunction with The Monterey County Travel and Tourism Alliance, is sponsoring an advertising and marketing seminar for the local hospitality industry on Tuesday, April 15 at Rancho Cañada Golf Club.

The seminar will be led by Dr. Eddie Dry, director and professor of tourism management at the University of New Mexico. Dry, who has owned a hotel in northern New Mexico for 18 years, has led numerous seminars of this type.

The seminar's morning session is titled "Affordable Marketing Through Public Relations, Visitor Centers, Family Tours and the Internet." It will run from 9 a.m. to noon.

Following a lunch break, Dry will focus on "Affordable Advertising and Research" in a session that goes from 1 to 4 p.m.

"This is a superb opportunity for managers, sales people, front desk people and everyone interested in the tourism industry to enhance their knowledge and skills," said Pam Norton, CV Chamber president.

Registration for the morning session begins at 8:30 a.m. at Rancho Cañada. The afternoon session registration period begins at 12:30 p.m.

The fee is \$25 for an individual session, or \$40 for both. A lunch will be offered at Rancho Cañada for a separate \$10 fee.

To register or gain more information about the information, call Ann Olivier, CV Chamber, 659-4000, or the Monterey County Travel and Tourism Alliance, 626-1424.

In other news involving the Carmel Valley Chamber of Commerce:

■ Norton said the organization's recently published directory has been so well received that another printing will take place in six months.

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## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970354  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **INNOVATED CONTROL SYSTEM, I.C.S.**, 17550 Quail Hill Ln. Ca. 95076.  
**RONALD D. FRYN**, 17550 Quail Hill, Watsonville, Ca. 95076.

This business is conducted by an individual.  
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 2-1-97.

(s) Ronald Fryn  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 19, 1997.  
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(PC354)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970422  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **FOUR CORNERS**, #10 E. Carmel Valley Rd., Carmel Valley 93924.  
**LEE ANN MITCHELL**, 4280 Mountain Quail Rd., Salinas, Ca. 93908.

This business is conducted by an individual.  
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 2/27/97.

(s) Lee Ann Mitchell  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 27, 1997.  
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(PC355)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970338  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **77 BAR RANCH, GULF INVESTMENT, LTD.**, 4 Broadway Circle, King City, Ca. 93930.

**CHANNING CRANE EDINGTON**, 4 Broadway Circle, King City, Ca. 93930.  
This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Jan. 1, 1996.  
(s) Channing Crane Edington  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 14, 1997.  
Publication dates: March 20, 27, April 3, 10, 1997.  
(PC356)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F961960  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **GREENFIELD INN, GREENFIELD LODGE**, 4th & Elm Greenfield, Ca. 93927.

**COURTESY INNS, LLC**, 4 Broadway Circle, King City, Ca. 93930.

This business is conducted by limited liability company.

(s) Channing C. Edington  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Oct. 17, 1997.  
Publication dates: March 20, 27, April 3, 10, 1997.  
(PC357)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970491  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **CARMEL HEALTH SHOP**, San Carlos btwn. Ocean & 7th Street (P.O. Box 6475) Carmel, Ca. 93921.

**REMI BENZAKEN**, 302 San Miguel Avenue, Salinas, Ca. 93901.

This business is conducted by a husband and wife.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on July 14, 1988.

(s) Remi Benzaken  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on March 11, 1997.

Publication dates: March 20, 27, April 3, 10, 1997.  
(PC358)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970423  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **GOLFAHOLICS ANONYMOUS**, P.O. Box 222357 (25510 Rio Vista Dr.) Carmel, Ca. 93922.

**MARK OMAN & BARBARA L. OMAN**, P.O. Box 222357 (25510 Rio Vista Dr.) Carmel, Ca. 93922.  
This business is conducted by a husband and wife.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Feb. 24, 1997.

(s) Barbara L. Oman  
This statement was filed with

the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 27, 1997.  
Publication dates: March 20, 27, April 3, 10, 1997.  
(PC360)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970468  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **PRESCRIPTION AIR, R/X FOR AIR, PURE AIR**, 25145 Carmel Hills Drive, Carmel, Ca. 93923-8302.

**LINDA HAZARD**, 25145 Carmel Hills Drive, Carmel, Ca. 93923-8302.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on March 6, 1997.

(s) Linda Hazard  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on March 6, 1997.  
Publication dates: March 20, 27, April 3, 10, 1997.  
(PC371)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970476  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **BODY IN BALANCE**, P.O. Box 4856 (5th Ave. & Torres) Carmel, Ca. 93921.

**SUSAN K. BROWN**, P.O. Box 4856/5th Ave. & Torres, Carmel, Ca. 93921.

**MOSTAFA M. TAWFIK**, 5th Ave. & Torres, Carmel, Ca. 93921.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 10/15/96.

(s) Susan K. Brown  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on March 7, 1997.  
Publication dates: March 20, 27, April 3, 10, 1997.  
(PC361)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970481  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **PARK DENTAL AESTHETICS, DENTAL AESTHETICS, PARK DENTAL**, 100 Park Avenue, Monterey, Ca. 93940.

**DAVID HARTVIG ROHOLT**, D.D.S., 3606 Eastfield Rd., Carmel, Ca. 93923.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 11/93.

(s) David H. Roholt, D.D.S.  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on March 10, 1997.

Publication dates: March 20, 27, April 3, 10, 1997.  
(PC349)

## STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

F950310  
The following person(s) have abandoned the use of the fictitious business name **SEQUOIA GARDEN SERVICE**, 3rd NE of Vista on San Carlos at Carmel, Ca. 93921.

The fictitious business referred to above was filed in Monterey County on 2-15-95.

**CYNTHIA WETMORE**, P.O. Box 223415 (3rd NE of Vista on San Carlos, Carmel, Ca. 93921) Carmel, Ca. 93922.

This business was conducted by an individual.

(s) Cynthia Wetmore  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on March 4, 1997.

Publication dates: March 20, 27, April 3, 10, 1997.  
(PC352)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970549  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **BON MARCHE INTERIOR DESIGN CENTER**, 26350 Camino Real, Carmel, Ca. 93921.

**MRS. LOUIS MALKIM**, 26350 Camino Real, Carmel, Ca. 93923.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 4/1/97.

(s) Mrs. L.R. Malkim  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on March 17, 1997.

Publication dates: March 20, 27, April 3, 10, 1997.  
(PC370)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970051  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **PROGRESSIVE AUTOBODY AND STEREO**, 312 A. Abbott St., Salinas, Ca. 93901.  
**RONALD G. WALLACE, JR.**, 2278 Perez St., Salinas, Ca. 93908.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 10/28/96.

(s) Ron Wallace  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 9, 1997.

Publication dates: March 20, 27, April 3, 10, 1997.  
(PC350)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970173  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **FOREST LANDSCAPE**, 798 Lighthouse Ave. #180, Monterey, Ca. 93940.  
**THOMAS J. KNODEL**, 798 Lighthouse Ave. #180, Monterey, Ca. 93940.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Jan. 22, 1997.

(s) Thomas J. Knodel  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 28, 1997.

Publication dates: March 20, 27, April 3, 10, 1997.  
(PC351)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970443  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **JUST-A-BUCK**, 628 Northridge Mall, Salinas, Ca. 93906.

**ADEIMY ENTERPRISE, Inc.**, 24201 Valencia Blvd. #1335, Valencia, Ca. 91355. 805-291-1415.

This business is conducted by a corporation.

(s) Annie Derghazartan  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on March 3, 1997.

Publication dates: March 20, 27, April 3, 10, 1997.  
(PC364)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970452  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **AVS VIDEO SERVICE**, 1531 McKinnon St. Apt. #D, Salinas, Ca. 93906.

**ALLAN NEAL SUMMERS**, 1531 McKinnon St., Salinas, Ca. 93906.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on April 1, 1997.

(s) Allan N. Summers  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on March 4, 1997.

Publication dates: March 20, 27, April 3, 10, 1997.  
(PC366)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970497  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **WHITE OAK GRILL**, #9 E. Carmel Valley Rd., Carmel Valley, Ca. 93924.

**TERRY V. TERFLINGER**, 18 Shady Lane, Monterey, Ca. 93940.

**MARILYN BEACH**, 18 Shady Lane, Monterey, Ca. 93940.

This business is conducted by co-partners.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 3-1-97.

(s) Marilyn Beach  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on March 11, 1997.

Publication dates: March 20, 27, April 3, 10, 1997.  
(PC367)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970470  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **VONFLUE COMMUNICATIONS & ENTERPRISES, MONTEREY FAMILY THE LEARNING PLACE**, 18539 Northridge Drive, Ca. 93906.

**CHERYL KIM VONFLUE**, 18539 Northridge Drive, Ca. 93906.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 3/3/97.

(s) Cheryl Von Flue  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on March 7, 1997.  
Publication dates: March 20, 27, April 3, 10, 1997.  
(PC368)

## NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE UNDER DEED OF TRUST

Loan # 91719238/SKALAGARD Other # 3041171 S. # FID047476 LC Investor Loan # 1654884732 P. # 015-11-015  
YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED AUGUST 28, 1989, UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PREVENT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE, IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. Notice is hereby given that Standard Trust Deed Service Company, as trustee, or successor trustee, or substituted trustee pursuant to the Deed of Trust executed by Hans M. Skalgard and Mignon D. Skalgard, husband and wife, Recorded on September 6, 1989 as Instrument No. 49164 in Book 2407 Page 400 of Official records in the office of the County Recorder of Monterey County, California, and pursuant to the Notice of Default and Election to Sell thereunder recorded November 4, 1996 as Instrument No. 66411 of said Official Records, Will Sell on April 21, 1997 at the entrance steps (facing Gabilan Street) to the County Courthouse, 400 Church Street, Salinas, CA at 1:45 P.M. All public auction to the highest bidder for cash (payable at the time of sale in lawful money of the United States), all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State hereinafter described: as more fully described in said deed of trust. The property address and other common designation, any of the real property described above is purported to be: 5197 Canyon Drive Carmel, CA 93923. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any inaccuracy of the property address and other common designation, if any, shown herein.

The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is: \$199,590.11. In addition to cash, the Trustee will accept a cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state. In the event tender other than cash is accepted the Trustee may withhold the issuance of the Trustee's Deed until funds become available to the payee or endorsee as a matter of right. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, express or implied regarding title, possession or encumbrances, to satisfy the indebtedness secured by said Deed, advances thereunder, with interest as provided therein, and the unpaid principal balance of the Note secured by said Deed with interest thereon as provided in said Note, fees, charges and expenses of the trustee and the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. We are attempting to collect a debt and any information we obtain will be used for that purpose. Dated: 03/20/1997 Standard Trust Deed Service Company, as said Trustee 2600 Starwell Drive, Suite 200, Concord, CA 94520 (510) 603-7342 By: Sandy Grantz, Assistant Secretary. Pub: 03/27/97, 04/03/97, 04/10/97 CNS1464840

## PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Planning Commission of the City of Carmel-by-the-Sea will conduct a public hearing in the City Hall Council Chambers, located on the east side of Monte Verde Street between Ocean and Seventh Avenues, on Wednesday, 9 April 1997. The public hearings will be opened at 4:30 p.m. or as soon thereafter as possible.

IF YOU CHALLENGE THE NATURE OF THE PROPOSED ACTION IN COURT, YOU MAY BE LIMITED TO RAISING ONLY THOSE ISSUES YOU OR SOMEONE ELSE RAISED AT THE PUBLIC HEARING DESCRIBED IN THIS NOTICE, OR IN WRITTEN CORRESPONDENCE DELIVERED TO THE PLANNING COMMISSION OR THE CITY COUNCIL AT, OR PRIOR TO THE PUBLIC HEARING.

1. DS 97-05  
John Gilmore  
NW Corner Camino Real and 10th  
Block P, Lot 19 and pt. 17

Consideration of an application for a substantial alteration to a single-family residence in the R-1 district.

2. DS 97-02  
Jerry Smith  
E/S Monte Verde between 11th and 12th  
Block 133, Lot 4

Consideration of an application for a substantial alteration to a single-family residence in the R-1 District.

3. DS 97-03  
Tom King  
W/S Monte Verde between 13th and Santa Lucia  
Block 146, Lot 23 and pt. 21

Consideration of an application for a substantial alteration to a single-family residence in the R-1 District.

4. DS 97-06  
Andrew Laspino/Floresque  
S/S Ocean between Mission and Junipero  
Block 78, All lots

Consideration of a use permit application authorizing the exterior display of merchandise in a flower shop.

5. GP 96-03/UP 96-45/  
RZ 97-01  
The Carmel Foundation  
SW Corner Dolores and 8th  
Block 95, Lots 1, 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12

Consideration of applications to (1) amend the General Plan (2) rezone a 4,000 square foot lot of record from R-1 to A-3 and (3) amend a use permit to extend nonprofit activities to the rezoned property.

Dated: March 21, 1997  
Publication dates: March 27, 1997.

PLANNING COMMISSION  
CITY OF CARMEL-BY-THE-SEA  
(s) Karen Worthington  
Secretary of said Commission  
(PC385)

## NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF JOSEPHINE LARSON

A PETITION has been filed by **VICTOR E. LINDSAY** in the Superior Court of California, County of Monterey.

THE PETITION requests that **VICTOR E. LINDSAY** be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

THE PETITION requests the decedent's WILL and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by the court.

THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice of consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A HEARING on the petition will be held: on May 2, 1997 located at 1200 Aguajito Road, Monterey, Ca. 93940.

IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.

IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the deceased, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within four months from the date of first issuance of letters as provided in section 9100 of the California Probate Code. The time for filing claims will not expire before four months from the hearing date noticed above.

YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a formal Request for Special Notice of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in section 1250 of the California Probate Code. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk.

Attorney for petitioner  
**FRANCES R. GAVER, Esq.**  
**FENTON & KELLER, A Prof. Corporation**, Post Office Box 791, Monterey, Ca. 93942-0791.

(s) Frances R. Gaver  
Publication dates: March 27, April 3, 10, 1997.  
(PC381)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970358  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **CELEBRATIONS TO CHERISH**, 3130 Pico Ave., Carmel, Ca. 93923.

**BARBARA COGBILL**, 3130 Pico Ave., Carmel, Ca. 93923.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to

transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1/1/96.

(s) Barbara Cogbill  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 19, 1996.  
Publication dates: March 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.  
(PC308)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970439  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **WALKER, SMITH AND BOLEJACK REAL ESTATE SERVICES**, 210 Capitol St., Suite 9, Salinas, Ca. 93901.  
**JILLENE O. BOLEJACK**, 1833 Delancey Dr., Salinas, Ca. 93906.

This business is conducted by co-op.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 2/23/97.

(s) Jilene O. Bolejack  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 28, 1997.

Publication dates: March 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.  
(PC324)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970365  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **CALIFORNIA MOTORCYCLE INTERNATIONAL**, 225 Crossroads Blvd., Suite 271, Carmel, Ca. 93923.

**STILLWATER RESOURCE INTERNATIONAL CORPORATION**, CA. 225 Crossroads, Blvd. #261 Carmel, Ca. 93923.

This business is conducted by a corporation.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Feb. 12, 1997.

(s) Chauncey E. Schmidt, Jr.  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 19, 1997.

Publication dates: March 13, 20, 27, April 3, 1997.  
(PC332)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970496  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **TRANS AGRO**, 20 Sutton Circle, Salinas, Ca. 93906-5143.

**DIEGO CELIS**, 20 Sutton Circle, Salinas, Ca. 93906-5143.  
This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 3/11/97.

(s) Diego Celis  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Mar. 11, 1997.

Publication dates: March 27, Apr. 3, 10, 17, 1997.  
(PC372)

## STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

F-930149  
The following person has abandoned the use of the fictitious business name **RE/MAX GROUP** at 336 Main Street, Salinas, Ca. 93901.



# 'CPR Saturday' readies locals for emergency training

By TAMARA GRIPPI

MARCIA GALVIN caught sight of a woman lying face down and stepped forward to help.

"Are you OK?" she asked, gently nudging the woman.

No response.

Galvin looked up apprehensively at Emilita Harvey, also standing over the lifeless form.

"We should turn her over," Harvey said.

Slowly, Galvin turned over the body, taking care to protect the wobbly head.

"We've got to check for breathing," Galvin said.

She leaned down and listened closely. Did she hear something, faintly? The quiet sound of the lungs releasing air? She leaned closer and listened again. Nothing. No breath.

A voice intruded on the scene. "What do you do now?"

That mysterious voice did not belong to a supernatural force, but to CPR instructor Dee Rasco, coaching the two women. The woman on the floor wasn't actually lifeless.

It was, rather, Andrea Sutton, acting for the occasion.

## Sweet 16

The women were among 16 participants taking part in a hands-on CPR training session, offered for free by the Carmel Chapter of the American Red Cross. This year's "CPR Saturday," held March 15, was the first such event offered as part of a four-year collaboration between the Red Cross and PG&E to improve California's disaster readiness.

"Learning CPR is a first step toward being ready for emergencies of any kind," said Beck Grover, health and safety program coordinator for the Carmel Chapter.

According to Grover, more than 70 percent of all life-threatening emergencies happen at home with someone else present. Only by taking a class that includes fairly realistic drills can people instill the correct automatic response, the instructors explained.

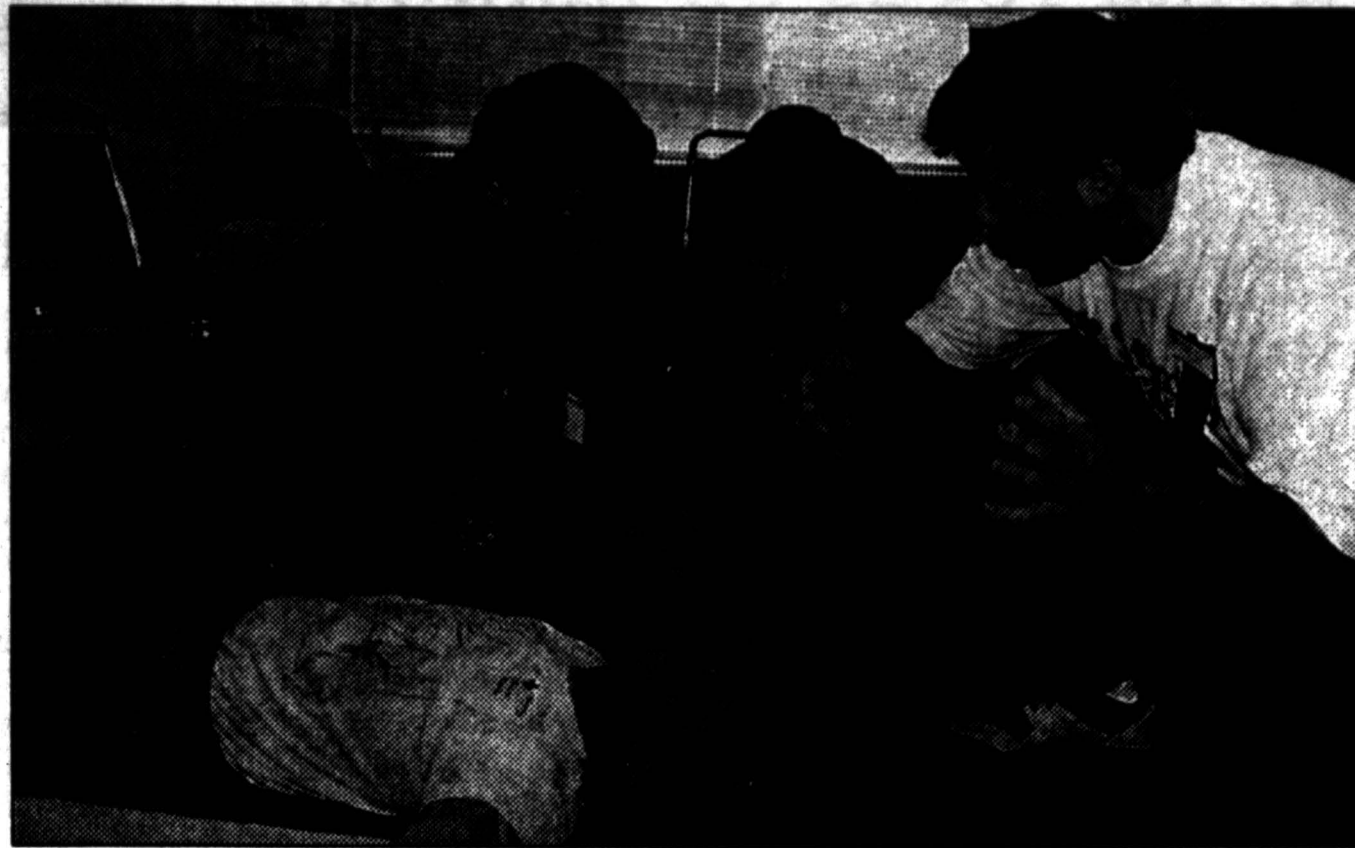
## Deciding to act

During the training session, held in Carmel, participants watched a video showing an entire neighborhood of ordinary looking people hesitate before helping accident victims in obvious need of care. Each neighbor hoped that someone else would assist the victims.

"You can always do something to help," the narrator explained.

At the beginning of class, the instructors — Mark Angel, Dee Rasco and Jean White — encouraged everyone to get to know each other better because this would be a hands-on exercise.

Participants learned that it's essential to ask a person if they need help. If the victim responds, then the person trying to help them automatically knows the victim can breathe, has a pulse and is conscious.



PHOTO/TAMARA GRIPPI

With 'victim' Marcia Galvin lying on the ground, instructor Mark Angel (right) gives 'CPR Saturday' student Andrea Sutton the lowdown on what step to take next. The program, jointly sponsored by the American Red Cross and PG&E, was held March 15 in Carmel.

"Breathing is the most important thing to check," White explained. "If there's no oxygen circulating through the blood, even a pulse won't do much good."

"Now we get to have fun," Angel told

the group as they trooped outside to try the Heimlich maneuver.

In an empty parking lot, everyone broke into pairs and experimented with the abdominal thrusts that could dislodge

food in a choking victim. Motorists passed by, glancing skeptically.

Participants learned that if a choking victim is coughing forcefully, it's important to encourage him or her to continue coughing. The object may come out on its own.

## 'Chris Clean'

Everyone was eager to begin working on the mannequins, appropriately named "Chris Clean." Each person was given their own sterilized nose, mouth and lungs to use with the mannequin.

As people began the rescue breathing exercise, the participants relied on their groups for coaching. "You have to make sure the whole mouth area is covered," Harvey reminded her teammate who was having trouble making the air go into the lungs.

In another group, Marilyn Bell figured out an inventive way to remember the procedure:

*Check, call, care!  
Re-tilt the head if you don't  
have any air.*

I just made a poem," she said.

See CPR CLASS back page

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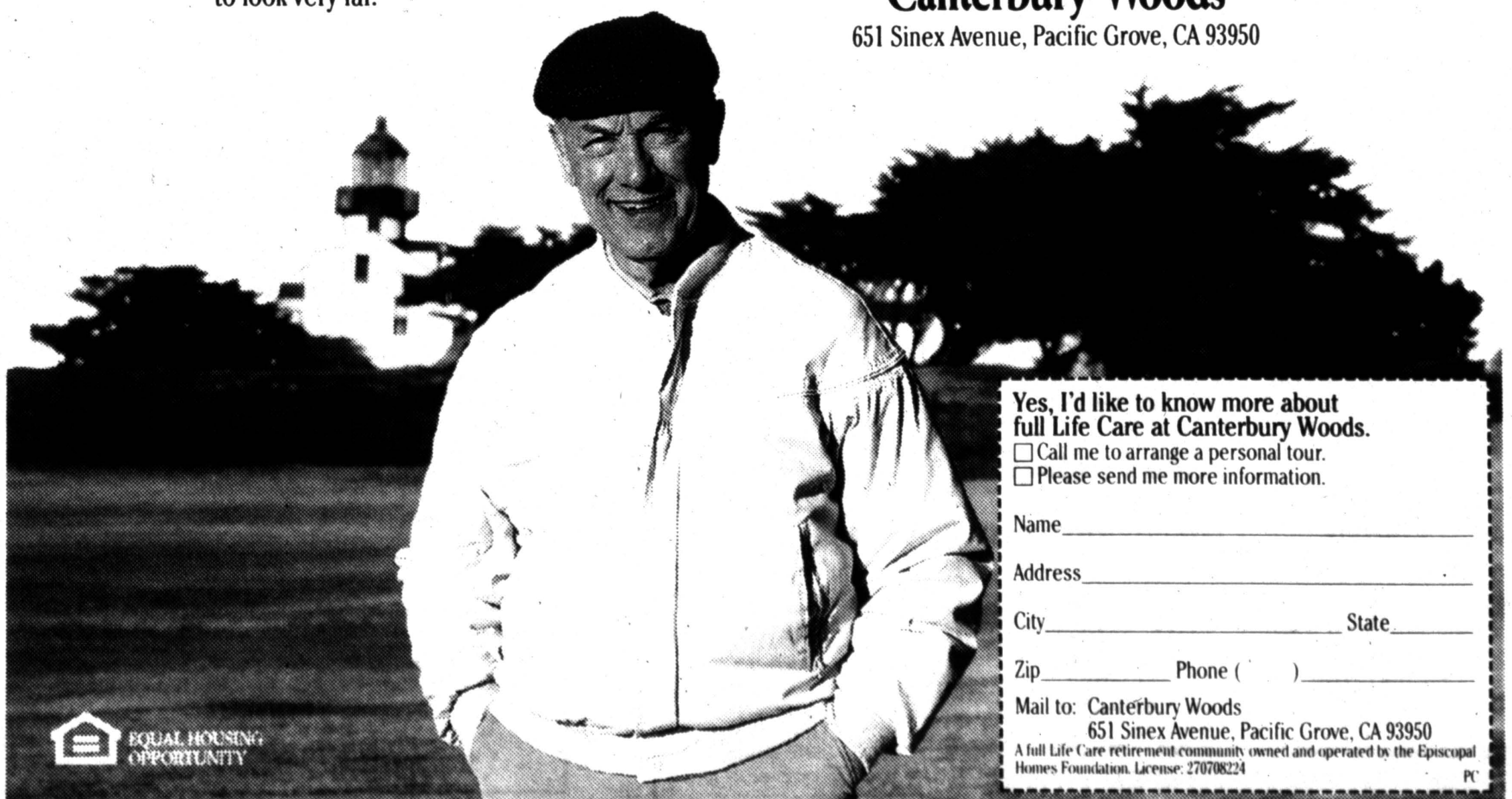
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# Phipps puts emotional focus on families

■ **Prayer Breakfast:** Speaker a combination of 'MLK, James Earl Jones'

By PAUL MILLER

FROM THE moment the Rev. Wintley Phipps began to speak, the audience at this week's Annual Prayer Breakfast was amazed at his oratory and stunned by his message of a moral crisis in America.

Carmel Mayor Ken White served as master of ceremonies at the early morning event Tuesday.

Held at Monterey's Hyatt Regency Hotel, the prayer breakfast attracted a crowd of more than 500, many of whom had tears in their eyes at the end of Phipps' speech. One local called him "a wonderful combination of Rev. Martin Luther King and James Earl Jones."

"The foundations of America are crumbling because

that foundation—the family—is no longer honored," Phipps told the crowd.

Twenty-five years ago, 800,000 American children were being raised in single-parent households, he said. Today that figure is 20 million.



The Rev. Wintley Phipps

"Mothers can't do it alone," Phipps said. "If the children are not held accountable by their fathers, the result is a generation of moral illiterates. If the father isn't there, only faith in God can give the children the direction they need."

"His statistics concerning the breakdown of the family were just stunning. I was really rocked by that," Mayor White said afterward.

Larry Scholink of Carmel Valley was also moved: "The message was simple but profound. It's time for men to go home to their families."

Phipps lives in Washington, D.C. and is a board member with the Prison Fellowship Ministries. His speech will be broadcast at 7 a.m. Sunday on KKMC-AM Radio 880.

## Maundy Thursday service scheduled

WITH A special Maundy Thursday service, the Community Church of the Monterey Peninsula continues its Holy Week events, culminating with Easter on Sunday. Tonight's service is scheduled to begin at 7:30 and will be held at the Carmel Valley Community Church.

A Good Friday service will be held from noon to 1 p.m. at the church's new Outcalt Chapel, on Carmel Valley Road. Easter Sunday service begins at the same site at 10:30 a.m.



## Above the Bottom Line

By JAMES P. CALANDRA, CPA

## A 'Simple' solution?

IF YOU OWN a business, you probably know that a company retirement plan can be an excellent tax shelter. But you also might have heard that retirement plans can be complex and costly.

If you are still undecided about a retirement plan, or even if your company already has one, you might be interested in a new "Simple" plan.

"Simple" retirement plans were added to the law last year, and they became effective this year. "Simple" plans are generally available to self-employed individuals and to businesses that have 100 or fewer employees. The plans can be in the form of employee IRAs or a 401(k) plan.

Under a "Simple" plan, an employee may contribute a percentage of compensation, with a maximum contribution of \$6,000 per year. An employer is generally required to match employee contributions, up to 3 percent of compensation, although there is some flexibility for the employer to adopt alternative contribution schedules.

"Simple" plans should be considerably easier to administer than traditional company retirement plans, and that's their main attraction for business owners.

For example, "Simple" plans don't require discrimination or coverage testing, and employers won't be involved on the investment side. A "Simple" plan will generate some additional paperwork, but the financial

institution that acts as your "Simple" trustee should be able to handle most of the reports and filings.

Before you make any decision about a new "Simple" plan, make sure that you thoroughly understand your potential obligations, as well as the benefits and drawbacks. This is especially important if you have an existing retirement plan and you are considering a "Simple" plan as a replacement.

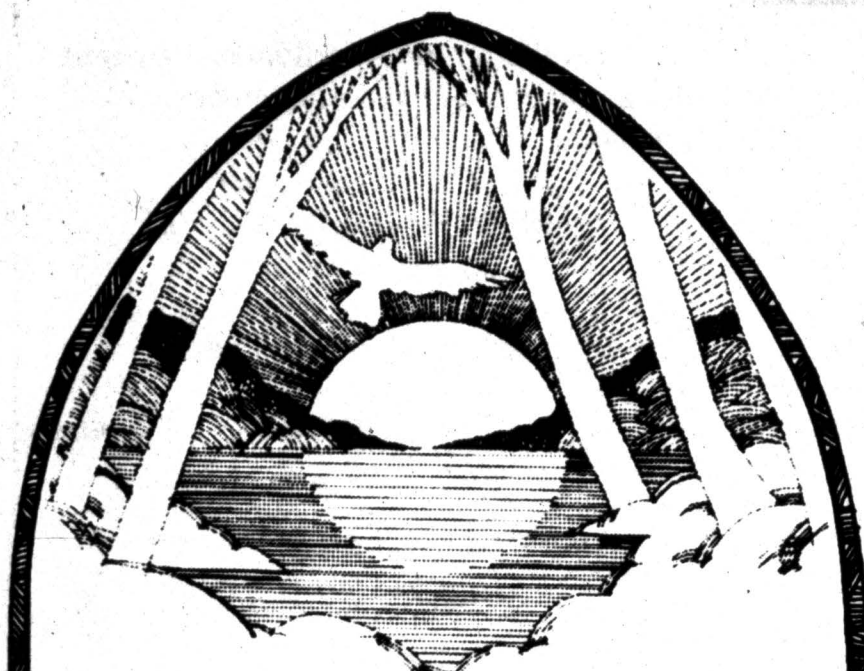
## ■ Is paying no tax a good idea for your corporation?

When you run your business as a "C" corporation, it can make sense to pay a little tax this year to avoid large estimated tax payments next year.

According to the general rule for corporate estimated taxes, the IRS won't charge a penalty as long as a company pays in current-year estimated tax at least the amount that was owed on the preceding year's return.

However, this "safe harbor" is available only when at least some tax was owed for the earlier period. If a company shows zero tax liability in a given year,

See CALANDRA page 15



## Church Services

### The Church of the Wayfarer

(A United Methodist Church)  
Worship Sundays at 10 am at this historic United Methodist church. Adult & youth classes 8:45 am. Sunday School 10 am (Nursery care provided.) Youth Fellowship 5:30 pm children's choir and weekly pre-school programs available.  
624-3550

### Christian Science Services

Sundays 10 am, Sunday School 10 am. Wednesday evening testimony meetings 8 pm. Reading room open weekdays 9-5 (Wed. 9-7:30) Sun. & holidays 1:30-4:30. Monte Verde St. North of Ocean Ave. btwn. 5th & 6th

### All Saints' Episcopal Church

Sunday Eucharists at 8 and 10 am and 5:30 pm. Eucharist on Wednesdays at 7 am and Thursdays at noon. Sunday nursery care at 10 am service.  
Dolores St. & 9th Ave.  
624-3883

### Carmel Mission Basilica

Sat. Mass: 5:30 pm fulfills Sunday obligation. Sun. Masses: 7:00, 8:00, 9:30 & 11:00 am and 12:30 & 5:30 pm. Confessions: Sat. 3:30 to 5:30; days before First Friday and Holy Days 4:00 to 5:00. Mass at Big Sur: Sundays at 10:30 am.  
Rio Road, Carmel

### Carmel Church of Religious Science

Services held 11am Sundays. Wednesday Meditation 7:30 pm World Peace Meditation 4th Friday, 7:30 pm  
Dolores St. & 8th Ave. American Legion Post  
625-5360

### Carmel Presbyterian Church

2 Worship Celebrations 8:30 AM & 10 AM Services are broadcast on KRML 1410 at 10 AM. Child care provided for all services.  
Junipero near Ocean  
624-3878

### Carmel Christian Fellowship

(First Assembly of God)  
Sunday Services: 10:30 am Thurs. Night Bible Study  
"Come as you are - you will be loved!"  
Torres & 4th Streets Carmel Youth Center  
624-9302

### First Baptist Church of Carmel Valley

Sunday Services: 8:30 & 11 am Sunday School: All Ages 9:45 am Nursery: Available through age 3  
8340 Carmel Valley Rd.  
624-5551

### Shoreline Community Church

Sunday Services: 8, 9:30 and 11 am  
Pacific Grove High School 615 Sunset Drive Pacific Grove  
655-0100

### The Religious Society of Friends (Quakers)

Silent meeting Sunday 10 am  
The Cherry Foundation Guadalupe & 4th Carmel  
644-0331

## The Golden Years



By Myles Williams  
Former First Lady Rosalynn Carter spent many years as a care-giver and has written a book on the subject. Speaking at a national conference of retirees, she offered these pointers for care-givers: Become knowledgeable about the illness involved. Look into community resources that can be helpful. Keep yourself fit. Adopt a regular activity as a diversion.

...  
Their dairy herd was regarded as the best in Vermont, but after 40 years the three Lepine sisters decided it was time to sell. Bids for the 129 Jersey cows came in from as far as Utah, Gertrude, 68, a former teacher; Jeanette, 66, a former flight attendant, and Therese, 71, kept the farm, which their father started, and are renting out the land. The sisters plan to spend time at their gallery near Stowe which displays works of local artists. For the first time in 30 years, Gertrude is able to go trout fishing instead of milking and feeding cows.

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# JOE FITZPATRICK: CV couple close to purchase of El Cocodrilo

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nodding acquaintance with English. In the tradition of Valley Girls, he throws the word "like" into the middle of virtually every sentence. Or half sentence.

Sent to report on "color" of Super Bowl week in New Orleans, his daily "live" reports revolved around how much he had to drink the previous evening.

Paired on-air with Barbieri, the two recently reduced themselves to hysterics with a discussion about the genital amputation of 7 ft. 6-in. basketball Manute Bol. (No, honest, both Barbieri and Tolbert are well out of their teens.)

**Rich Herrera** — Another young, colossal ego — originally from Salinas! He's a night sports talk host who is proud of his knowledge of professional wrestling (and everything else). That's enough on old Rich.

ANYWAY, this is the quality of radio sports talk that is available today to the Bay Area and to the Central Coast, as well.

Our cup runneth under.

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**TODAY'S QUOTE** . . . University of Utah basketball coach **Rick Majerus** on the difficulties of recruiting minority students to come to Utah:

"There are 14,000 black people in the entire state of Utah. East Palo Alto alone has 14,000 black people.

"Basically, the ones we can get are the ones we can trick into coming."

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**IT'S A GREAT TOWN** . . . El Cocodrilo restaurant — bringing the colorful, ambrosial tastes of Tropical America to Pacific Grove — is in the process of sale to **Ted and Cindy Walter** of Carmel Valley.

Sellers (and founders) are **Julio Ramirez** and **Marie Perucca-Ramirez**, who also own the Fishwife restaurants in PG and Seaside. Ted has chefed with the

Rio-Grill and the former Gold Fork in Carmel, and will serve as executive chef at El Cocodrilo.

**CURRENT** chef de cuisine **Otoniel Larios** will continue in that role.

**Don Bowen**, the Peninsula's demon restaurant peddler, handled the sale. Escrow is due to close in late April.

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**SPEAKING** of Demon Don, he now is able to sell you the lot on Alvarado in Monterey which Burger King backed away from this week after a battle with the city.

The price is \$675,000, but that includes all the dirt and the crackerjack location!

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**CAROLINE Avedesian** of KION-TV referred to an earthquake in Japan last week as a "trembler."

Caroline is from Pennsylvania and has never experienced a quake, so we should excuse her this time, but remember this, Caroline:

**EARTHQUAKES** are temblors.

Temblors are people who have just survived a temblor.

Got it? Shake.

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**AND** let us not let **Dina Ruiz's** (KSBW) peculiar wording a few days earlier go unnoticed.

Reporting on a sexual assault case, Dina said, "An unlocked door allowed the attacker to access her."

**TO** "access" her? Was this woman just another square box on a computer screen waiting to be clicked on?

But let us not come down on Dina. The entire English language is now apparently subject to replacement by computer lingo. (I think I prefer Ebonics.)

Woe is us.

*Joe Fitzpatrick's column appears weekly in The Pine Cone.*

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next year's estimated payments must equal 100 percent of the expected tax liability for that year.

As a result of this quirk in the law, you might want to plan corporate income and deductions so that you always show at least some taxable income and some tax liability.

Example: Your corporation will incur a small operating loss this year. Next year is likely to be more profitable, with the company projected to owe about \$100,000 in federal income tax.

If you do no planning, you will be required to pay next year's tax bill in full via quarterly installments of \$25,000 each, creating a potential cash flow crunch just when your company might need liquidity.

However, if your company were to report, say, \$10,000 of taxable income this year (perhaps by delaying

deductible expenditures or selling an appreciated asset), this year's tax bill would be \$1,500 (15 percent of \$10,000).

Next year, you would be required to prepay a total of only \$1,500, reducing your quarterly installments to \$375 each. The remainder of your tax bill would be due on the filing date for next year's return, but in the meantime you have the use of your cash.

Warning: If this planning strategy might apply in your situation, you should note that the safe harbor exception is only available to corporations with taxable income of less than \$1 million for each of the preceding three years.

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## Celebration to spotlight 50th anniversary of U.S. Air Force

**ALL FORMER** Army Air Force or U.S. Air Force members now living on the Monterey Peninsula are invited to take part in the 50th anniversary of the Air Force's founding, April 22-26 in Las Vegas.

Former 15th Air Force pilot **Chuck Poland**, a resident of Carmel, says his former crew members will stay at the Riviera Hotel in Las Vegas.

"We will get together and talk over the past bombing missions in Italy," Poland

said, who adds that the late and legendary **Jimmy Doolittle** was the first commander of the 15th Air Force following the raid on Tokyo in 1942.

As part of the anniversary celebration, the Air Force Thunderbirds will stage an air show, April 25-26, at Nellis Air Force Base.

Poland said hotel reservations can be made by calling 1-800-634-6753. Poland himself can be contacted at 625-0147 for additional information about the event.



## WHAT'S NEW with Meg

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### The Shop in the Garden

Have you strolled through THE SHOP IN THE GARDEN recently? It continues as a special place on the peninsula for over 35 years now! To a delightful list of hand sculpted pieces for the garden - fountains (all sizes!), windchimes, lanterns, animals, bugs and insects - Flo and Milton want you to know they have bunnies and birds in many sizes, perfect for Easter baskets or as gifts for gardens. Be sure to see their plaques, "Kiss of the Sun" in bronze or cement for a garden wall (6'x8"), and the many St. Francis of Assisi statues. In fact, walk slowly so that you can see it all, even the artisans themselves at work! Corner of Ocean/Lincoln, 624-6047. Closed Sun./Mon.



Chic to Chic

The clever name of this fashion consignment house, **CHIC TO CHIC**, sets the stage - a handsomely designed shop with lots of sun, cheer and sophisticated clothing. What a discovery! Judith Frey, owner, opened her door on March

11 offering customers gently-worn, designer label clothing at prices to fit most budgets. She's convinced women don't like giving up their entire paycheck for a workable wardrobe and feels "people are shopping smarter now." So if you're looking for the unusual and chic (for men, too) at affordable prices, or wish to consign clothes (no appointment, 50/50 commission), come right over! 380 Foam, New Monterey. (Parking in the rear) 10-6 Mon.-Sat. 648-1407



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### Hobman Plaza Antiques & Collectables

It was like being in Gulliver's Travels, as Emma, the manager of **HOLMAN'S ANTIQUE PLAZA** led me through that vast, marvelous main floor of antiques and collectibles from 60+ dealers. Charlie, the resident cat, joined us, adding occasional commentary. First stop was at Carole Guido's case of vintage and costume jewelry. She's collecting from the pre-60's, got some? Passed a fascinating display of collectibles for golf-fans, also figurines, (J.R. Ewing among them). Next was the new gallery of Steve Hauk and David Pratt - 19th & 20th century oil paintings. On to the rare books section with its many 1st editions and lots of Steinbeck, Miller and Jeffers. Loved the 1920 victrola and sideboard in Emma's collection, and then, stretching for what seemed blocks, Nader's vast jewelry, locks, and Dresden china collections. Saw some lovely old dining room tables and chairs, a delightful "Funny Dog", an assemblage piece of collectible pins "Humphrey/Muskie" for one. In a large area about to open at the far side, stood a life-size hand-carved statue of an Indian, made by master-carver Sal Pizzaro, from Boston. And toward the back, one more happy discovery - the **Grand Deli-Icious Sandwich Co. and Eatery**. It's a charmer and I understand the food is extraordinary! Open from 11 am to 2 pm. ANTIQUE PLAZA hours - 10 to 5:30 pm, seven days. 542 Lighthouse, PG. 646-0674

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In need of a marketing, public relations, advertising, sales whiz? If so, simply contact Wendy Brickman of **BRICKMAN MARKETING**. Wendy, with several graduate degrees and extensive background in these areas, established her business here in 1990 and hasn't stopped since! Her secrets of success - "polite persistence", and tons of energy and enthusiasm expended on behalf of her clients. Projects include marketing and publicity services for a wide variety of organizations - from The Scottish-Irish Games Festival to Golden Gate University. She also serves on the Board of Directors of the Monterey Peninsula Chamber of Commerce. Need her? Call her! 633-4444; Fax: 633-4499.



To the beautiful multi-colored silk Bleye jacket at **TOWN OR TRAVEL** add a pair of khaki, cream or white textured poly/cotton pants and you'll have

a stunning spring outfit! You'll see other jackets in poly/cotton, twill or poplin, these reduced 30% to 50% in many sizes. If you're looking for a blouse, look no farther than the Foxcroft blouses here, mostly in white, some with embroidered trim, others with blue or red stripes, perfect for jeans. Need an adjustable visor with back-interest? What about a bathing suit at half price? A group originally \$50 to \$70, now \$29 to \$39 in sizes 8 to 18. In the Mall on San Carlos, betwn 5th & 6th, Carmel. 626-0276

### Haruko's

**HARUKO'S FASHIONS** has been known for almost 30 years for its complete stock of separates with special emphasis on pants. And that is

what you'll see - blouses, skirts, sweaters, jackets and pants, pants, pants. You'll find a few plaid pants, but mostly solids in yellow, navy, light blue, red. They're pull-ons, with tapered legs in poly/cotton. Then there's a rack of denim pants that have the look of jeans, but the comfort of pull-ons. These come in denim blue, cream, pink, white and khaki. In petite and mens sizes, and priced at only \$35. Many others, of course, and all at affordable prices. In the Crossroads, next to Caffé Carmel. 625-1060.

### Chatterbaux Children's Shoppe



**CHATTERBAUX** is so full of new and gently used fine children's apparel, toys, equipment and maternity, that it's now considered a "general store" for the family! As well it should. Ginny has just received a huge shipment of Little Tyke toys for all ages, including a real train to sit on with enough tracks to go around the house; she has a large array of boys' suits for Easter (better hurry on over); many spring jackets for boys and girls; and is happy to announce her shop is the dealer for the Girls Scouts, Advent Nursing products and Little Tykes on the peninsula! Rush Hour Sale each Thursday, 5 to 7 pm! 157 Fountain, PG. (Across from Posh Pets) 647-8701

If you read it here and can't remember how to locate - like the name of the company catering Greek food, or where to find the popular Bucktool, or who's the camera-man, feel free to call me at 646-9616.

Happy Easter to all!  
Back April 10, meantime, say...  
To contact MEG (Louise Nachman),  
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# FIRST PITCH

## ■ Q&A: Former star hurler throws out his impressions on Giants, the state of the game

WITH OPENING Day of the 1997 major league baseball season scheduled for Tuesday — the Giants host Pittsburgh at 3Com Park at 1:05 p.m. — we turn our attention to an interview by The Pine Cone's Scott Brown recently conducted with former Oakland and San Francisco pitching great Vida Blue.

Blue was in town earlier this month to address the Carmel Rotary Club.

Blue pitched for the A's from 1971-76 and the Giants from 1977-84 and 1985-86. In 1971, he won the American League Most Valuable Player and Cy Young awards.

He participated in five playoffs with the A's from 1971-1975, and was a member of three World Series championship teams from 1972-74.

Blue has more strikeouts than any left-handed pitcher in the history of both the A's and the Giants' franchises.

Now an active member of the Giants' community relations department, Blue discussed the future of the Giants and reflected on the state of baseball today.

**Brown:** What is your take on the Giants' trading of Matt Williams (for whom they received Julian Tavarez, Jose Vizcaino and Jeff Kent)? Is this an effort to rebuild the team for 1999 and the arrival of the new stadium, or is there an impetus in the organization to win now?

**Blue:** I wish the Giants would consult me before they make deals, but oftentimes they don't. If they'd asked me, I would have told them not to make the deal. If you're going to trade a Gold-Glove winner who could break the home run record with your club, you better get a 20-year old Bob Feller in return.

I don't think it had to do with winning now or winning later. I think it had to do with the fact that Matt has been so injury-prone over the last two years — it's better to get rid of him while he still has some value rather than a year too late.

**Brown:** What insight can you shed on the Barry Bonds contract extension?

**Blue:** If any player deserves that money, Barry does. He maybe missed five games last year when he could have cashed in in July. Last year he walked 100 times and drove in 100 runs. That's impossible. Plus, he gives us validity as an institution when we ask people to give us their money for a personal seating license in the new stadium.

Every other franchise which has opened a new park had an event to coincide with it. In Baltimore, they had Cal Ripken. In Cleveland, the Indians went to the World Series. Barry can provide us with that sort of an event at any given time.

**Brown:** What is the learning arc of a major league pitcher? Is it merely rhetoric, or should Giants fans put stock in the development of William Van Lanningham, Osvaldo Fernandez, Shawn Estes, Kirk Reuter and the like?

**Blue:** They say it takes a major league batter 1,500 at bats to believe he belongs in the major leagues. That translates into 550 to 600 innings for a pitcher. Our guys will be nearing that this year. This year should tell the tale.

You look at Van Lanningham or Fernandez, and you should pencil in those guys for 20 wins. But when I was throwing, it was go as hard as I can, as long as I can. You knew what I was throwing. You just better be quick with the hands. That's the kind of insides that you can't teach.

**Brown:** Do today's major league pitchers have a difficult time earning a strike from umpires?

**Blue:** Absolutely. The great ones, like (Greg)

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Vida Blue



PHOTO/COLE THOMPSON

## SEITZ & SOUNDS

Tennis great Jimmy Connors made a special trip Saturday to Pebble Beach to participate in the Tennis and Golf (TAG) Weekend to benefit Robert Louis Stevenson School. Here, he shares a light moment with Frank Seitz (left), pro at The Inn at Spanish Bay and Connors' partner in the exhibition at the Beach & Tennis Club. Seitz turned in a stellar performance as he and Jimbo, in straight sets, downed the team of pro Hank Pfister and Mike Trabert, pro at the Beach & Tennis Club. For more photos of TAG Weekend, and the proceeds derived from the three-day benefit, see next week's issue of The Pine Cone.

## Swimmers, divers shine at RLS, CHS

### ■ Pirates: Boys, girls buoyed by 1st win of season over Alisal

By JON BENNER  
Pine Cone Sports Correspondent

THE ROBERT Louis Stevenson boys and girls varsity swimming and diving teams, fresh off a victory last week against Alisal, take on visiting Santa Catalina at 3:30 p.m. today.

In the Tuesday, March 18 win, strong performances were turned in by boys' swimmers Nathan Krissof, Micah Gallo, Jesse Kegan and John Bartel. Krissof and Gallo, along with senior Tommy Gerken, are returning swimmers from last year's team.

Junior Desiree Evans-Claassen and sophomore Sophia Prater excelled for the girls.

Although the girls' swim season has traditionally been in the fall, this year marks the first time it coincides with the boys' season in the spring.

### ■ Padres: Looks like it could be return to championship form

By PATRICK FOU DY  
Pine Cone Sports Correspondent

THE CARMEL High School girls' swim program that set a national record with 140 consecutive league victories is again on the rise.

This year's Padres seem bound to begin another era of dominance. After finishing second behind Santa Catalina last year, Carmel has ample motivation to return to the top.

It is the underclassmen who have made a big splash in the Mission Trail Athletic League thus far. Sophomore Kersten Wehde will carry a yeoman's share of the load this year. She is coming off a stellar all-MTAL season in swimming last year and water polo this fall.

Fellow sophomore Anna Peccianti, freshmen Nicki

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## CHS softball team seeks to rebound strong

By PATRICK FOU DY  
Pine Cone Sports Correspondent

DESPITE ITS current record, a young Carmel High varsity softball team can still be considered a force in the Mission Trail Athletic League.

The Padres have begun the year with an 0-6 preseason and a 1-2 start in league, but showed great offensive firepower in their 24-1 victory over Alvarez last Wednesday.

"(The record) looks worse than it seems," said first-year coach Terry McGowan. "We played Division I and II teams the entire preseason and both losses in league were one-run games that we easily could have won."

Carmel dropped games 2-1 to Santa Catalina on March 13 and 6-5 to Pacific Grove in extra innings on March 21.

Despite the slow start, Carmel still has hopes of knocking off some perennial powerhouses, such as Pacific Grove, Santa Catalina and Notre Dame, which hasn't lost a league game in four years.

"It's a young team," said McGowan. "We have four sophomores, four juniors and five seniors."

Carmel will perhaps be aided most by the strong pitching of senior Laura McGowan. She was an all-MTAL hurler last year and has the ability to shut down any team.

Centerfielder Michelle Gaudoin also will serve as a reliever on the mound. Sophomore Michelle O'Campo returns as their catcher.

The Padres return their starting infield from last year

### Padres overcome bout with wildness to oust Gonzales

PINE CONE STAFF REPORT

BUOYED BY a seven-run first inning, the Carmel High School varsity baseball team weathered its pitchers issuing 15 walks to Gonzales as the visiting Padres tallied a 10-7 Mission Trail Athletic League victory Tuesday.

The win evened Carmel's league mark at 1-1. The Padres are 4-6 overall.

Despite the 15 free passes relinquished by Carmel

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with Alecia Pearson at first, Sierra Shepherd at second, Sadie Thomas at shortstop, and Angie Olow at third.

Outfielders Lia Chaney and Marlo Milligan have contributed most of the offense so far as the Padre bats begin to come around. Milligan had a 6-for-6 game against Alvarez, including two home runs and two doubles.

Carmel hosts Robert Louis Stevenson at 3:30 p.m. today. A tournament in Watsonville follows, beginning Saturday, April 5.



# Stevenson golf team has that championship look

By SCOTT A. BROWN

E.M. SWIFT ONCE wrote that a champion is most interesting when it loses.

Given that the winning ways of the Robert Louis Stevenson varsity golf team have been as consistent as running water over the course of the past three decades, one can presume that Swift would have ranked a prediction that the Pirates will once again win the Mission Trail Athletic League in 1997 low on his scale of relative titillation.

The degree to which their coach qualifies that prediction is substantially more noteworthy, however. "In my 28 years coaching golf here at Stevenson," said John Powers, "this team is as good as or better than any I've had in terms of their ball striking ability."

Such a statement is resounding when viewed against the backdrop of Powers' four Northern California prep championship teams of 1981, 1988, 1989, and 1991 — making Stevenson the only school to win the title more than three times.

Powers and Wally Goodwin, who later became Tiger Woods' golf coach at Stanford, also co-coached Stevenson's zeitgeist teams of the late '70s, on which wunderkind Bobby Clampett was a participant.

Of the six Stevenson players participating in Tuesday's 35-stroke victory over Carmel at Spanish Bay, only two are seniors. The youth of the Pirate team only accentuates the fact they are an embarrassment of riches.

Despite having not played the course more than a few times in their short high school careers, not one of them shot above a 43. By contrast, Carmel's best score yesterday came from Adam Struve, who shot a 42.

More remarkable is that the 43 was shot by David Morgan, a sophomore transfer from Rochester, Minn. Morgan spent last year at David Ledbetter's golf academy in Florida and is regarded by many as perhaps the best talent to come through Stevenson since Christian Cevaer. Cevaer was a three-time all-Mission Trail Athletic League selection from 1986-88, who went on to be the top-ranked player at Stanford for four years under Goodwin.

Powers' goal for Morgan is that he supersede Cevaer's



RLS sophomore Steven Sparolini, who shot a 39 yesterday at Spyglass Hill Golf Course in his team's win over Carmel, is one of the key cogs on the high riding Pirate golf team.

PHOTO/COLE THOMPSON

Northern California prep record of averaging four-under par in high school matches. "(Morgan's) that kind of player," said Powers. "He shot a 34 on the front nine at Spyglass against Palma (March 13). Had he not had a couple of lip-outs, he could've done better."

The remainder of the Stevenson roster is comprised of sophomore David Addison, a native of England who led the team with a 39 yesterday, sophomore Stephen Sparolini, who also shot a 39, junior Oliver Rosen, senior Andy Hunter and senior Seth Wong.

"Our strength is our depth," said Powers. "You only count the best five scores your team puts up. To not count a 43 by a player like David Morgan is remarkable. Any of our guys could be No. 1 for us on any given day."

Wong will attend Stanford on a golf scholarship next year. He will join his brother, Scott, who is the third-ranked player for the Cardinal this season.

"That really says something when your fifth-ranked player (as Wong is) gets a scholarship," said Powers. "The

attended high school last year, to Carmel. They have already won six matches for CHS this season.

The team's top doubles team is comprised of Cody Reese and Chris Martell. Reese and Martell tallied the lone win for the Padres in their March 14 loss to Stevenson. They are undefeated in MTAL play this year.

The competition for the final two spots on the second CHS doubles team has been fierce. Combinations consisting of Marcos Ortega, Joey Macaluso, Geronimo Volpini, Jean-Paul Hill, Charley Daley and Guru Khalsa have all made appearances.

Volpini teamed up with Daley for a win over Alvarez last Friday; Volpini and Hill partnered for a victory over Alisal two days earlier; Daley and Ortega posted a win together against Gonzales on Wednesday, March 12.

The Padres, coached by Dave Chaney, play today at Pacific Grove. The match begins at 3 p.m.

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Gillette and Lauren Riccigliano, and junior Sarah Holine also are key to the team's success.

### Divers led by Wise

Aimee Wise and Sarah Little will lead the Carmel divers. Wise was the league champion last year as a freshman, but will be challenged all season by her freshman teammate, Little. The two divers can easily place first and second this year in league.

The girls are off to a good start with a preseason win over Monterey on March 7 and a 107-79 league victory over Notre Dame on March 20.

It didn't take long for the 200 meter medley and the 400 meter free relay teams to find their form as they set Central Coast Section qualifying times against Monterey.

Wehde, Piccianti, Susanne Terry and Lauren Greenburg make up the 200, while Holine and Gillette join Wehde and Piccianti in the 400.

Against Notre Dame, Wehde took first in the 200 meter individual medley (2:29.50) and the 100 meter backstroke (1:10.28). Gillette won the 100 meter butterfly (1:13.15). Sarah Little placed first in the diving competition, while Wise was close behind in second.

Carmel's next meet is at home at 3:30 p.m. today against Alisal.

four ahead of him will surely get some Division I offers when they become seniors."

Powers considers the notion that his team will more than likely go undefeated and win the MTAL for a 15th straight year a rather pedantic conclusion. His goal is to win the NorCal championship, which takes place May 19. Stevenson placed seventh at the tournament last year.

"There's no doubt we'll be there," said Powers. "Our goal is to shoot a combined 200 as a team each time out, which means that our average score is a 40. Even on Clampett's teams, if we were shooting 210 we were ecstatic."

"Our guys are young, which means they're great without any pressure on them. They'll be great once they get a history of accomplishments behind them."

■ **Too shots:** Carmel's scores Tuesday were as follows: Adam Struve 42, Michael Cohen 45, Eric Struve 47, Ian Bey 51, Joe Enea 51, any Anthony Kamm 52. . . . The MTAL championship will be held April 28 at Quail Lodge. The tournament will begin at 1 p.m. . . . Stevenson is 7-0 overall, while Carmel is 4-3-1. . . . Stevenson's next match is April 8 against King City. Carmel plays today against Alvarez at Spanish Bay. Both start times are 3:15 p.m.

## BLUE Q&A: Giants' pitching a big question

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Maddux, get pitches six inches in or off the plate all day, because they hit that spot consistently. But with expansion, you've got young guys in the majors way too early. They make pitching too difficult with their specialty pitches, like the split finger.

The key to being successful is being near a maximum of three or four places around the plate. You've got to dare a player to hit you. It's not worrying about the Barry Bonds or the Frank Thomases. Get the two players before him so you get him with two outs.

**Brown:** Were you surprised the Giants were more active in supplementing their bullpen rather than their starting pitching?

**Blue:** Yes. It seems we may be going to a pitcher-by-committee, where the starter goes five innings and then in comes the bullpen. But to be even a halfway decent team, you've got to at least have a pair of guys you know can eat up 400 to 450 innings of work and give you 30 to 40 wins.

Do we have that? I don't think so.

**Brown:** How would you, as a power pitcher, have existed in this era of set-up men and set-up-to-set-up men?

**Blue:** I get asked to try a comeback every year. Sure, I throw batting practice and it doesn't hurt. And even though I'm 47, I think physically I could compete. But mentally, I couldn't handle the strain of throwing the way I threw. . . . I mean, going out there and challenging people as a power pitcher the way I did in this era of guys with specific roles in the bullpen making as much money as I do.

**Brown:** With all of their changes, have the Giants improved enough to compete with a league that has essentially stayed put talent-wise?

**Blue:** Possibly. I'm a Giant, and I'm optimistic. But you look at the Padres, who won the division, Colorado, who scores so many damn runs, and the Dodgers. Have we improved our team as much as they have simply by retaining their talent? Probably not.

Now, we're not going to forfeit our games because we can't compete. But at this juncture, we might be the low man on the totem pole. Even if we only lose 93 games this year, it's one loss less than this year. A .500 record, for this club, wouldn't be bad at all. Then you take advantage of those great free agents coming out next year.

**Brown:** How important is choosing a full-time commissioner and getting a long-term labor agreement signed?

**Blue:** We need a new commissioner, for sure. How can Bud Selig be an owner and be impartial?

I think the players need to sign a five-year labor agreement, so the fans can trust there won't be a strike. Also, I'd stop the disclosure of salaries in the paper. Naturally, it causes unrest when a pitcher who finishes 5-12 gets a \$1 million raise.

## Eric Yee, Reese-Martell tandem pace CHS netters

By TREVOR FOGG  
Pine Cone Sports Correspondent

THE CARMEL High boys' varsity tennis team seems to have rebounded from its one-win season of a year ago, having raced off to a 3-1 start with 7-0 victories over Mission Trail Athletic League rivals Alisal, Alvarez and Gonzales.

The Padres' lone loss came 1-6 at the hands of Robert Louis Stevenson, the defending MTAL champions.

Carmel has made the turn by giving its roster a new edifice. None of the five singles players from last year's team are back in '97. Only one senior, top-ranked singles player Eric Yee, is on the roster. The remainder of the roster is comprised of underclassmen Kueson Yee, Dave Bednarik, Erik Bensberg and Jake Butts.

The reversal of fortune for the Padres began with the transfer of the Yee brothers from Arizona, where they

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pitchers Matt Williams, Erik Langslett, Golden Anderson and Colter Bissell, the Padres only gave up three hits and committed no errors in the field.

Despite the win, CHS Head Coach Mike Kelly said his pitchers' wildness is a major concern.

"We won't win many games in this tough league if we continue to put batters on like that," said Kelly. "I give our defense credit for not getting back on their heels and for staying in the game."

After offensively posting a seven spot in the first inning, Carmel let Gonzales back in the game by allowing six runs on six walks in the bottom of the third inning.

The Padres tallied three runs of their own in the top of the fourth and hung on to win the game, which was halted after six innings due to darkness.

Ryan Bailey hit a two-run triple for Carmel, while Colter Bissell, Tony Cain and Pat Foudy all drove in a pair of runs. Second baseman Robbie Shepner was 2-for-4, including a double.

CHS now heads to Las Vegas for the prestigious Bishop Gorman Tournament, which begins today and runs through Saturday. The Padres' first-round game is at 9 this morning against Polytechnic High of Los Angeles.



## Letters to the Editor

Letters should not exceed 350 words and are subject to editing. Letters must be typed and include name, address, telephone number and signature. Those that have previously appeared in other publications will be given last priority.

### Who's all wet?

Dear Editor:

The letter, "Pine Cone's water analysis is all wet," (March 10) criticizes The Pine's water analysis of March 13.

The only fault I would see in The Pine Cone's analysis is the one everyone else wants to ignore: The vote in 1995 on a water issue was not "yes" or "no" on the building of a dam; it was a "yes" or "no" vote on the funding proposal for the construction and maintenance by MPWMD.

As for The Pine Cone being "all wet," water is best when wet. Wet is what we want when discussing water!

Without the river flowing all year there is no water for the deer, puma or salmon. A bear could not vacation and fish in the river, nor could some of these critters resist looking for water and food in town.

Think of it the next time we see an errant puma, coyote, raccoon or bear reported. The whole issue of water is best left in the hands of the private sector. It would be resolved by now and at a far lower price to the public.

Jeffrey A. Kellogg, Carmel

### Arts festival not suitable

Dear Editor:

Carmel doesn't need a performing arts festival which attracts hordes of people to wander the sidewalks, gawk at street performers, mimes, jugglers, live window entertainers, eat food sold on the streets or to wear animal-shaped balloon hats.

We can do this at other cities on the Monterey Peninsula.

This is crazy! Why does Carmel need the equivalent of a Garlic Festival? Carmel is very special and we should do everything in our power to keep it this way. The Performing Arts Festival will do nothing to enhance our tranquil village. It will only add confusion, noise, litter and tackiness to this beautiful heaven that is Carmel.

As a merchant and co-owner of a Carmel-by-the-Sea business, I object to the loss of business, whenever festivals take over our town. Parking becomes nonexistent and sales tax revenues plummet just as they do when the spring visual art festival and the fall Homecrafters Fair come to Carmel.

Why is the emphasis always on filling hotels and restaurants. It's time to think about letting the business people have a chance to make some money for themselves and the city. Let's not add another production number to our already crowded events calendar.

Rick Nunez-Baldassarre, Carmel

## 3 rebuttals to commentary on soccer flap

### High-flown tone of article troubling

By CONSTANCE KIRBY

THE ARTICLE about the firing of CHS soccer coach is amusing. It is the apparent wish to turn the firing into a Greek tragedy, "hailed as a triumph." Are there not more worthwhile triumphs to report?

Scott Brown's posture of holy righteousness is entertaining also. Why should league administrators be exempt from criticism concerning their choice of referees? If I were they, I would be concerned more about finding qualified referees for deserving players (which is Coach Jones' obvious priority) than worrying about semantics in a letter.

Why is it "unconscionable" for someone who loves the sport of soccer and who has the time and who is competent to fill local soccer coaching positions? Coach Jones does not "scurry" to fill positions. He doesn't have to. No one else wants the jobs!

Did the Carmel United School District recruit (and pay) a soccer coach for the CMS boys or girls soccer program in '94? In '95? In '96? It was pretty darn convenient for them to tap good ole Coach Jones, eh? Gee ... let's see .... He was free; no extra salary costs. He paid for the team uniforms. He paid for all the soccer balls. He paid for the paint to mark the fields. He paid for the goals. He even paid for the PG Middle School girls' uniforms to wear so CMS would have a team to play. And all the while the school district could stay in compliance with Title IX. What a deal!

What is wrong with promoting players to college scouts? It is an appropriate

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Constance Kirby, a Carmel resident, is a California Youth Soccer Association licensed soccer coach.

### Those who ignore soccer shouldn't judge

By BONNIE FRISK-DOBROWSKI

IT WAS so disheartening to read Scott Brown's commentary regarding Mike Jones's firing.

In last week's paper, he hailed it as a triumph. The commentary is disturbing because it comes from a newspaper that nearly totally ignores youth soccer and therefore has no first-hand knowledge. I observed, at the CCS game, Mike recognizing your appearance and commenting

on the fact that it was the first time The Pine Cone staff had attended a game.

The facts: I was at both RLS games and observed no shouting matches between Mike and the RLS team. Mike has a film of this game, during

and after, to verify this.

Play to win? Of course, but the players come first. In addition to CHS Varsity and JV teams, Mike has created his own development team (and most of the CHS team) himself. This last year one of the last season's development players started on the varsity team. I've known Mike, firsthand, to develop players. He doesn't just play to win. Even in the CCS game, he brought up five freshmen JV players. At one point four freshmen were in the game. In a championship match!

As for playing the ineligible player, this was no ringer. Robert Klemek has been playing with Mike's development team since grade school. Every other goalkeeper, varsity or JV, was either injured or on vacation. No one else had any experience playing in goal, a very specialized, high-pressure job.

Robert had experience, but had not played in a year. Once the decision was made for Robert to play, Mike supported him 100 percent, even when it became

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Bonnie Frisk-Dombrowski's son played soccer for Carmel High School.

### Brown should tread lightly on reputations

By PAUL SIMONSEN

WORDS HAVE consequences. By siding with CHS Principal Eric Paulson in what should have been a private matter, Scott Brown have publicly defamed Mike Jones.

Nothing in either of The Pine Cone's two articles even hints that Mike knowingly played an academically ineligible player or broke any league rules.

What offended the writer and Mr. Paulson was Mike's use of an experienced non-roster student to replace an injured player. This is not against the rules and exactly what Stanford's Tara VanDerveer did in bringing Kristin Folkl to replace an injured player later in the season. She was universally praised for her actions and yet you vilify coach Jones. Why?

The analogy with the football team doesn't hold water. Coach Kelly had two offensive stars in a fistfight during a game, in front of parents and fans. I wouldn't categorize that as a "delicate situation." Regardless, how does suspending a player for cause compare with the loss of a player due to injury?

What we have is an honest disagreement between Mr. Paulson and Mr. Jones on what constitutes successful coaching techniques. I know the writer wasn't contacted by Mike Jones to get involved, but it is obvious Mr. Paulson called him to tell his side after being "deluged by outraged soccer supporters" for firing Mike.

How many players and parents did Brown interview before writing the commentary? Did he contact Mike Jones to read him the article and ask for his comments prior to publication, as is common journalistic practice? Did he stop to think about what he was doing to a man's reputation, to the prospect of him ever becoming a prep soccer coach again?

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Paul Simonsen is a resident of Pebble Beach.

### Get the facts first

Dear Editor:

I was intrigued by a letter to the editor in the March 20th edition of The Pine Cone about the proposed Carmel Performing Arts Festival.

The writer, Ms. Virginia Birskevich, was concerned about losing the pristine quality of Carmel-by-the-Sea through alleged "street parties," "Brazilian soccer teams," "free-flowing liquor" and "trash." I too moved to Carmel-by-the-Sea a couple of years ago and love the area for the same

reasons as Ms. Birskevich.

Because the ideas in her letter appeared the opposite of what Carmel-by-the-Sea presents to its residents, visitors and area locals, I contacted the Carmel Performing Arts Festival office to get more information.

I was very pleased to learn that the festival's performing arts events (such as theater, dance, music — not the visual arts) would be presented in established performing arts venues (Golden Bough Theatre, Forest Theatre, Outdoor Forest Theatre, etc.) and that the festival plans

call for no more than two performance times during the weekdays (Wednesday through Friday) and only three on weekends (Saturday and Sunday).

Festival organizer, Robin McKee, did express her desire to offer noon-hour performances at Carmel's Devendorf Park on Saturdays and Sundays (similar to the ParkFest performances put on by the village's recreation department).

The festival's plans primarily include indoor performances already scheduled for

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## KIRBY

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activity for coaches whether of soccer or football or basketball. How is it different from school administrators and teachers "promoting" students for college acceptances? It happens all the time so why do you feel the need to berate Coach Jones for this? Why shouldn't a coach do this?

Coach Jones' accomplishments in the field of soccer are many. He is one of very few coaches in Monterey who has completed the CCS ASEP program. He has coached with many soccer luminaries; he holds a Class B coaching license issued by the United States Soccer Federation. He is a fully certified FIFA referee, licensed to train and certify others which he does. He initiated the junior referee training program in Monterey.

His club teams play excellent soccer. He put Carmel on the CCS map and initiated the feeder system in local youth soccer programs and at the middle school to make that happen. Where was the Pine Cone in its coverage of all of that?

### A spade a spade

So yes, he is quick to point out that his team's accomplishments have gone unrecognized by the press. The Pine Cone provides extensive coverage of football and baseball, but virtually none for soccer. Call a spade a spade!

Regarding using someone off the roster (Robert) as a goalie in the game against Los Gatos. Coach Jones chose someone who had played with the CHS team members for eight years or more. The CHS team knew this fellow. He was no stranger. The notion of using this person was discussed with all the players on the team.

No one on the team volunteered to play goal. No one on the team was well-matched. Coach Jones asked the seniors on the team to decide. They did. So, Robert was asked to play, asked about his grades and Coach Jones trusted Robert's answer.

A ringer? A ringer is really someone whom you bring on to a team because you expect him/her to make a qualifying difference on the outcome of the game. Robert had not played in over a year and hardly qualifies.

In summary, Brown's coverage of the firing of Coach Jones seems clouded and driven by unfocused anger that is unbecoming to him and to the Pine Cone. Perhaps the quarrel with Coach Jones is a question of style. If so, it's hardly worth the carnage. You speak of "win at all costs." Your article is, indeed, win-lose. Brown wins. Is he happy now?

Personally, I don't have a great deal of heartburn about whether or not Coach Jones continues to coach at CHS. I'm certain he has more interesting things to do in the soccer world. However, I do find that Brown's remarks lack breeding. I would expect better.

## FRISK-DOMBROWSKI

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apparent that he was too rusty to be effective. I observed Mike letting Robert play his own way, and Mike letting the media know what a brave job he had done, even in a losing effort.


Mike's personality and philosophy is such that does express his concern for lack of soccer support. He never received an asked-for first-aid kit or was given a key to the CMS emergency gate. During the CCS game Mike juggled the responsibility of a high-pressure game and dealing with his own son being injured. I personally would not have been able to stick with the game. Mike did. You call his firing a triumph.

A triumph means someone has won something. Who has won here? No one. But our children have lost. It saddens me to think that in the senior year of my son, Devin, he will not have Mike as his high school soccer coach. Mike has made Devin the soccer player that he is. What a loss for Devin and any future CHS soccer players.

Finally, I am amazed that you try to cast Mike's connections and soccer networking in a negative light. Do you understand the number of world renowned stars Mike has brought to work with our kids in Carmel?

Further, do you understand how important it is that Mike can get a tryout or a chance for a scholarship to college with a phone call? Do you know that he has started and helped fund two different scholarships himself? Who else will do this if Mike doesn't? To my knowledge, no one else ever has.

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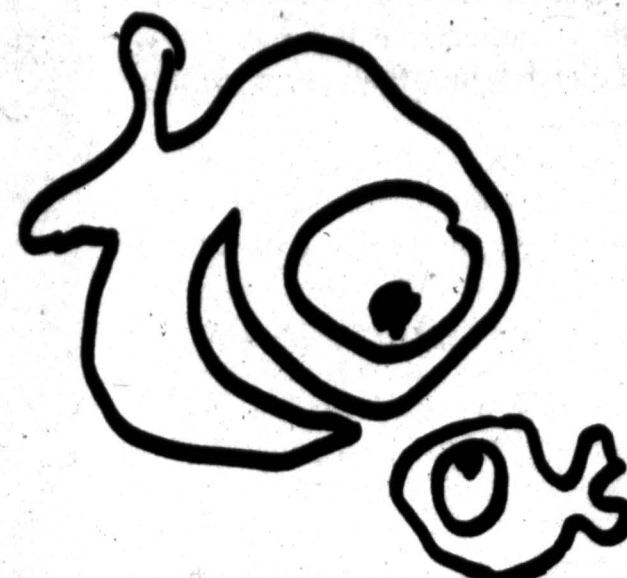
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## SIMONSEN

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I've known Mike for six years and he's the assistant coach for my son's club team. I will gladly give him the names and phone numbers of every team player and parent for you to interview.

I can also give Brown the phone numbers of Cam Rast, assistant men's coach at Santa Clara University who Mike hired and paid out of his own pocket when Cam needed help; and Paul Holocher, professional soccer player with the San Jose Clash, who Mike also helped.

Even Mike's severest critics have to admit that his passion for youth soccer is unparalleled. It has cost him tens of thousands of dollars and a lot of lost business. If Brown wanted to critique Mike's coaching career and pass judgment on his abilities, he should look at his years of dedication, and not just one coaching decision.

In summary, neither Brown nor Mr. Paulson alleges that Mike Jones broke any rules. Mr. Paulson is the CHS principal and can hire or fire any outside coach he wants. He is the boss, not the victim in this case, and it's his job to justify any firings he makes. I think Brown should publicly apologize to Mike Jones and coach a youth team this year to experience the pressures for himself before criticizing others.

I honestly don't think Brown knows how severely he has hurt Mike, his family, friends and most importantly the players. This is a small town and in the end our reputation is all we have. It takes years to get a good one and only one article to lose it. Please give this serious thought and respond in this week's issue.



## CPR CLASS

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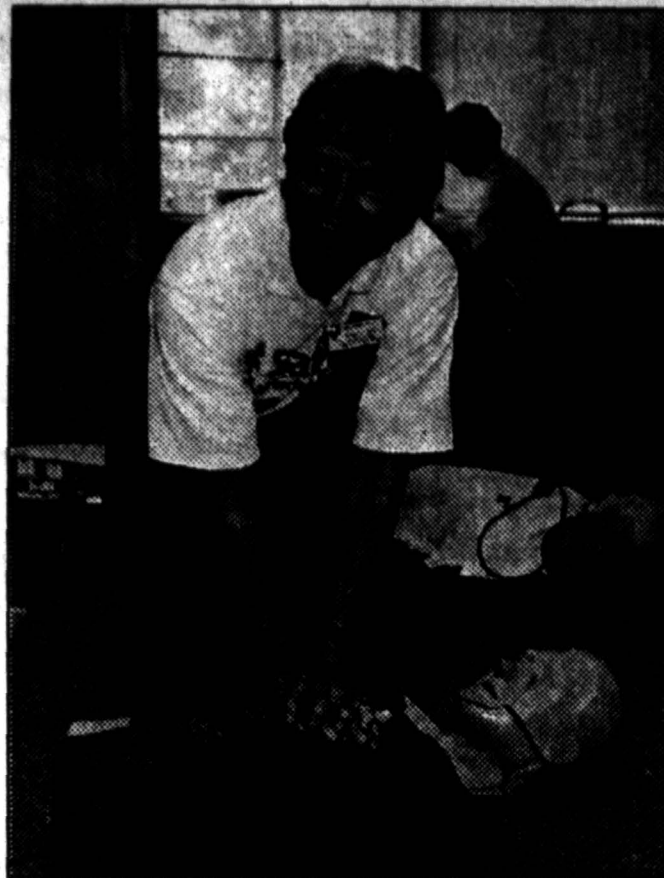
Understandably, some people were worried about how to recall the techniques in moments of crisis. Repeated practice, they learned, was the only way to make the techniques familiar, hopefully even automatic.

The actual CPR exercise consisted of a combination of rescue breathing and chest compressions. This procedure took a little more time and effort to perfect. The participants had to remember the ratio of chest compressions to breaths, and when was the right time to check for breathing. After everyone felt confident about the procedure, it was time to be tested by the instructors.

"It's hard work," said Galvin after her test. "It's probably easier on a real person."

It will be her good fortune if she never has to find out.

■ Next year, the Carmel Chapter of the American Red Cross will hold another "CPR Saturday." Meanwhile, residents can register for a variety of hands-on first aid classes, including CPR or recertification, which the chapter offers on a regular basis.



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*'If there's no oxygen circulating through the blood, even a pulse won't do much good.'*

— JEAN WHITE

## BIG SUR

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tices at the federal, state and local levels.

In addition, Whitlock believes Keeley's bill makes the mistake of applying new rules to all counties within the state, rather than just Monterey County.

"I don't think it will pass," Whitlock said.

Some opponents of the Mill Creek plan urged a countywide moratorium on logging. It is unclear, however, to what degree such local constraints would be binding on state decisions concerning logging.

At this point, county officials are trying to get an environmental impact report (EIR) — "or something equivalent" — undertaken on the proposal, said Monterey County Counsel Doug Holland.

After the hearing, Washington told The Pine Cone that the THP is, in fact, the equivalent of an EIR. Holland strenuously

differs with that view, but the state interpretation supersedes that of the county, Holland acknowledged.

Just as legal threats were bandied about at the Big Sur Station last week, Holland said he expects that, sometime in the coming weeks, the Monterey County Board of Supervisors will consider litigation aimed at improving the county's authority on timber controversies.

## LETTERS

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October, but offer central information and box office for audience convenience.

The festival planners are all area residents and seem to value the Carmel community as I do. All of this seems to fit the character of Carmel-by-the-Sea very well, which gives me cause to wonder why Ms. Birkovich came to the conclusion that this particular festival would be more like a free-for-all.

To suggest, as she does in her letter, that sports events or "street parties with liquor" are in the plans at all for this cultural arts festival is ludicrous. Anticipated festival audiences are the type of visitor Carmel-by-the-Sea already encourages and attracts.

The festival seems to offer more convenience than anything and the local performing arts should benefit, as well as the local businesses since visitors will have plenty of free-time during the day to visit shops and art galleries, or perhaps to go for a walk on the beach.

New ideas are too often ruined through misinformation and fear of the unknown or of something different. I urge everyone with interest (pro or con) in the proposed Carmel Performing Arts Festival to get the facts and take the time to speak with the festival's producing artistic director, Robin McKee, before coming to conclusions regarding this performing arts festival.

Mark Lauren, Carmel-by-the-Sea

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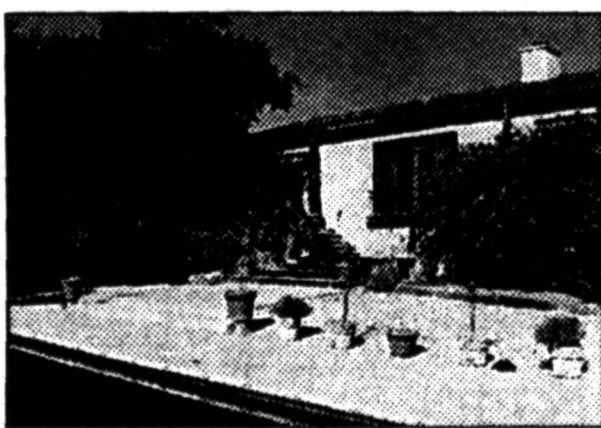
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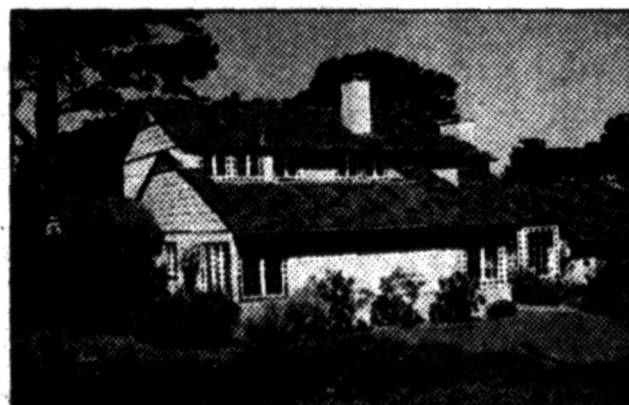


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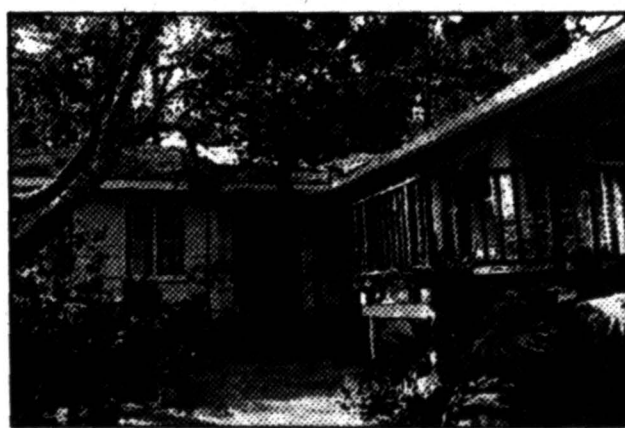
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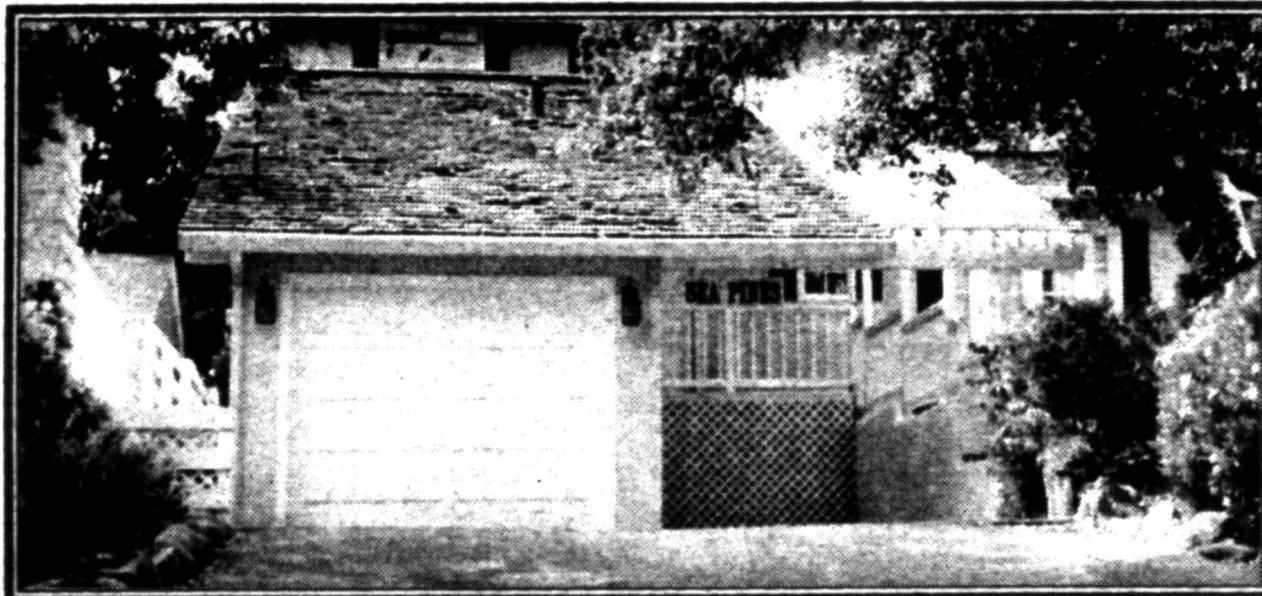
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 ■ **Where:** Monterey County Fairgrounds  
 ■ **Who:** Performers include Sonny Rollins, David Sanborn, Gerald Wilson, Dave Grusin, Diana Krall, Jim Hall, Charlie Haden, Arturo Sandoval, Ivan Lins, Buddy Guy, Marcus Roberts, Koko Taylor, Benny Green, Otis Rush, Don Byron, Dave Ellis, Thomas Chapin, Myra Melford, Jay McShann, Patrice Rushen.

■ **Tickets:** Season passes, which include one seat for all five Jimmy Lyons Stage shows, and all grounds activities, are priced from \$130-\$185. Grounds admission tickets are available for \$20 (Friday), \$25 (Saturday & Sunday), or \$60 (week-end). To order tickets, or to request a festival brochure, call 1-800-307-3378, or write P.O. Box JAZZ, Monterey 93942. For credit-card holders, fax requests should be sent to 867-0801.

■ **On the web:**

<http://jazzcentralstation.com/montereyjazzfestival>.

## WRIGHT ON

### Scotty plays the Jazz Store

JAZZ SINGER Scotty Wright, who performs Saturday night at the **Jazz Store** in Carmel, is recognized as one of the top male jazz vocalists on the jazz scene today.



#### Plugged In

By Stephen L. Vagnini

Longtime local residents may recall Wright, a former resident of the Monterey Peninsula. During the 1970s, he toured the local club circuit performing stints at the Boiler Room, the Brasserie, both Holiday Inns, the Hyatt, the Officer's Club and various venues throughout Santa Cruz and San Jose.

Although he kept busy, he came to the conclusion that he was wasting his time. "I wasn't happy being a jukebox," he recalled in a recent interview with the New York Daily News.

Two decades ago, Wright was singing the hits and the oldies.

"The audience was not interested in me," he recalled. "They were interested in me approximating other artists."

As a result of a bout with meningitis, where he lost the ability to speak for a week, Wright decided to devote his life to the music he loved. Wright chose jazz.

In 1988, he recorded his first album, *Too Much Fun*, in five days at Berkely's Fantasy Studios. In 1990, the record was picked eighth in USA Today's year-end Top 10 list of jazz albums, and in a Downbeat Magazine Poll, Wright was only slightly edged out by Harry Connick Jr. in the "talent deserving wider recognition" category.

He has subsequently emerged as several critics' choice



Scotty Wright

See VAGNINI page 5B

## Cover Story: Easter weekend

### Events put focus on fun activities for kids

WITH THE Easter holiday comes a bevy of fun events for kids! Here's a closer look at what's in store Saturday:

■ **Carmel:** The City of Carmel Recreation Division and the Carmel Host Lions Club will be co-sponsoring the first "Breakfast with the Bunny and Eggstravaganza" from 9 a.m. to noon at Devendorf Park.

The day begins with a pancake breakfast, followed by a trip to "Eggland," which will be a plethora of fun doings, including face painting, pictures with Mr. Bunny, cookie decorating, carnival games and musical entertainment by Marylee Sunseri.

Breakfast is \$3/person, while a pass to "Eggland" will cost \$5.

More information: 626-1255.

■ **Monterey:** The city will hold its 27th annual Easter Egg Hunt at 10 a.m. Saturday at the Frank E. Sollecito, Jr. Ballpark next to Dennis the Menace Park in

Monterey.

Local children are invited to join in the festivities, co-sponsored by the Monterey Marriott, KWAV Radio and the City of Monterey Recreation & Community Services Department.

Peter Rabbit will be on hand to help youngsters search for more than 7,000 hidden Easter eggs.

More information: 646-3866.

■ **Seaside:** The city's annual Easter hunt will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday at the Oldemeyer Center, 986 Hilby St.

Children up to 12 years are welcome to fill their Easter baskets with some of the more than 5,000 eggs that will be hidden at the center.

The event is sponsored by the Avenue of Flags, American Legion Post 591 and V.F.W. Seamount Post 8679. More information: 899-6270.

□ **Cover photo — Chuck Scardina**

### Young vocalists display surprising maturity in Carmel Music Society competition

By NATHALIE PLOTKIN

THE 21ST ANNUAL Carmel Music Society competition at Sunset Theater was open this year to California vocalists between the ages of 18 and 32 who are ready to launch professional careers. This is where the canker gnaws.

As happened at the last vocal competition three years ago, the judges chose as the grand prize winner a performer who is already appearing regularly with the San Jose Opera, rather than one whose aptitudes showed greater promise but who hasn't developed that last little bit of assurance that wows the crowd even though the actual voice may not be as outstanding.

The eight contestants, whose ages ranged from 23 to 32, were the best vocal artists I have heard in the years I've attended this competition. All of them were extremely able, personable and professionally prepared — no shrinking violets or amateurs. Their choices of music were mature and well varied and their dedication to their art was clearly in evidence.

The third prize of \$500 was won by Brian Leerhuber, who also got this year's version of "Best One Got Away" prize. The 25-year-old baritone is a member of the Los Angeles Music Center Opera and has sung under the baton of Placido Domingo.

Because the grand prize of the competition includes an appearance as recitalist in the Carmel Music Society's next season, a contestant may well choose to orient the audition materials toward proving an ability to deliver such a program.

As a result, Leerhuber selected Schubert and Brahms lieder (rather than Bizet and Rossini arias) which were highly impressive musically, but under the circumstances, may have been the wrong way to go. The immediate impression was of a warm, powerful voice, artistically produced and projected, with perfectly proportioned dynamics and a wealth of tone.

He has excellent stage presents and much personal appeal. His diction was a model of clarity.

Second-prize winner Hyunjoo Kwak Lee, 31, has degrees from the New England Conservatory and the Julliard School, as well as being a regional winner of the Metropolitan Opera Auditions. Her program was definitely oriented to showing her ability to sustain a full-fledged musical-serious recital and included 11 songs which tested her musicianship and vocal abilities.

Examples of songs by Handel, Purcell, R. Strauss, Faure, Obradors and Hugo Wolf showed Lee as knowledgeable, professional and

elegant in production and projection. She used her voice sensitively and her vibrato was tastefully applied.

The first prize, which includes a contract for a recital during the Society's '97-'98 season, was captured by mezzo soprano Layna Chianakas, 31, who is currently in her second year as opera San Jose Principal Artist in Residence.

Two Scarlatti songs, freighted dramatically and with an obtrusive vibrato, revealed a powerful voice and bright

### Competition Review

tone. A Rossini aria which should have sparkled didn't. Songs by Schumann and Schubert missed the mark lyrically, with the Schubert heavy and stormy instead of charming and sunny. "Amor" by Bolcom is a sure-fire tongue-in-cheek bit of fun and this singer had a great time making it vivid and entertaining.

There were three wonderful accompanists. Randall Behr (who began a wonderful musical career right here on the Peninsula) gave fine support to Brian Leerhuber. Sang-Mi Lee was a sensitive partner to Hyunjoo Kwak Lee and Craig Bohmler played strongly for Layna Chianakas.

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Then set aside for ever-after reflection.



## Apron Strings

By Deborah Smith

MY YOUNG friend Michelle Guerrard, a single mom from Portland, Maine felt remorseful that she had never been west of Vermont, so my son, Race, and I treated her recently to a week long trip to Carmel.

We showed her Big Sur, enjoying Ambrosia Burgers on the terrace of Nepenthe, dazzled her with the redwoods up Palo Colorado Canyon, viewed Carmel Valley with its springtime splendor, shopped on Ocean Avenue, skimmed 17 Mile Drive photographing Lone Cypress and the Ghost Trees.

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We toured Cannery Row and Fisherman's Wharf, she surfed Carmel Bay with Race and was awed by the sun sets over the ocean.

But driving her to the airport to catch her flight home, she told me that our Sunday morning hike into Point Lobos with a

group of friends would remain one of her favorite memories.

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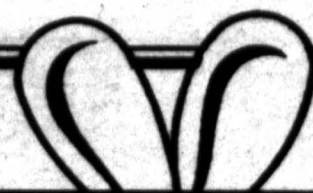
It's often been dubbed to have been used by Robert Louis Stevenson as Treasure Island. That information, however, is incorrect. In reality, it was his 12-year-old stepson, Sam Osbourne, who sketched the map, bringing it to RLS one morning as he was writing in bed when they were living in Scotland. Inspired, Stevenson then wrote his famous tale in just three weeks.

### UFOs: Mere speculation

Another Point Lobos rumor is that it is a UFO landing sight. Although I once met a young woman from Big Sur who claimed that she had seen a spacecraft hovering there at twilight, the fact remains mere speculation.

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### MUSIC/DANCE

**Brazilian Jazz: The Helcio Milito Trio With Flautist Tim Jackson and Kenny Stahl** — The Inn at Spanish Bay, 2700 17-Mile Drive, Pebble Beach, 7-11 p.m., free. Phone 647-7423.

**The Dino Vera Duo** — The Tap Room Bar & Grill, The Lodge at Pebble Beach, 17-Mile Drive, 7-11 p.m. Phone 624-3811.

### LECTURES/WORKSHOPS

**Vipassana Meditation** — Monterey Peninsula Friends of C.G. Jung, 284 Foam St., Monterey, 7:30 p.m., weekly, donation requested. Reservations: 649-4018.

**"Everything You Always Wanted To Know About Revocable Living Trusts"** — Sally Judd Griffin Senior Center, 700 Jewell Ave., Pacific Grove, 1-2 p.m., free. Phone 375-4454.

**"Gray Whale Breeding and Calving Lagoons of Baja California"** by Jud Vandever — Hopkins Marine Station Lecture Hall, Old Boat Works, Pacific Grove, 7:30 p.m., free. Phone 622-00800.

### MISCELLANEOUS

**The Rev. Ronald Barton Discussion Group** — Community Church of the Monterey Peninsula, Carmel Valley Road, 1 mile East of Highway 1, Carmel, 2-3:30 p.m. and 7-8:30 p.m., weekly, free. Phone 624-8595.

**Monterey Peninsula College Concert Band Rehearsals** — Monterey Peninsula College, 980 Fremont St., Monterey, 7-10 p.m., weekly. Phone 656-4205.

**Pebble Beach Spring Horse Show** — Pebble Beach Equestrian Center, 17-Mile Drive, Portola at Alva, Pebble Beach, 8 a.m.-5:30 p.m., \$7 Gate Fee. Phone 624-2756.

## FRIDAY .....28

### MUSIC/DANCE

**Dino Vera** — Terrace Lounge, The Lodge at Pebble Beach, 17-Mile Drive, 5:30 - 8 p.m. Phone 624-3811.

**Brazilian Jazz: The Helcio Milito Trio With Jazz Vocalist Lauri Hofer** — Lobby Lounge, The Inn at Spanish Bay, 2700 17-Mile Drive, Pebble Beach, 7-11 p.m., free. Phone 647-7423.

**Guitarist Robert McNamara** — The Bay Club, The Inn at Spanish Bay, 2700 17-Mile Drive, Pebble Beach, 7-10:30 p.m. Phone 647-7500.

**The Bluesy Brothers & Their All Star Band** — Whitey's, American Tin Cannery, Monterey, 9:30 p.m. Phone 646-8383.

**Dino Vera & Django** — The Tap Room Bar & Grill, The Lodge at Pebble Beach, 17-Mile Drive, 10 p.m.-1 a.m. Phone 624-3811.

**Special Easter Music With Jazz Pianist Robert Phillips** — Pacific Grove Community Center, 515 Junipero Ave., Pacific Grove, Noon, \$3. Phone 646-4636.

### LECTURES/WORKSHOPS

**"How the One of You Can Bring the Two of You Together"** by Susan Page — DoubleTree Hotel,

Portola Room, Portola Plaza, Monterey, 7-8:30 p.m., \$10. Phone 375-1855.

### MISCELLANEOUS

**Pebble Beach Spring Horse Show** — Pebble Beach Equestrian Center, 17-Mile Drive, Portola at Alva, Pebble Beach, 8 a.m.-5:30 p.m., \$7 Gate Fee. Phone 624-2756.

## SATURDAY .....29

### MUSIC/DANCE

**Brazilian Jazz: The Helcio Milito Trio With Bassist Tom Bockhold and Vibraphonist Rob Lautz** — Lobby Lounge, The Inn at Spanish Bay, 2700 17-Mile Drive, Pebble Beach, 7-11 p.m., free. Phone 647-7423.

**Dino Vera & Django** — The Tap Room Bar & Grill, The Lodge at Pebble Beach, 17-Mile Drive, 10 p.m.-1 a.m. Phone 624-3811.

**Guitarist Robert McNamara** — The Bay Club, The Inn at Spanish Bay, 2700 17-Mile Drive, Pebble Beach, 7-10:30 p.m. Phone 647-7500.

**International Guitar Festival** — Pacific Grove Art Center, 568 Lighthouse Ave., Pacific Grove, 8 p.m., \$10 General, \$9 Seniors and Students, \$8 Children 12 Under Phone 373-7379.

### MISCELLANEOUS

**Seaside's Annual Easter Egg Hunt** — Oldmeyer Center, 986 Hilby St., Seaside, 11 a.m. Phone 899-6270.

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## SUNDAY .....30

### MUSIC/DANCE

**Pianist Jan Deneau** — Terrace Lounge, The Lodge at Pebble Beach, 17-Mile Drive, 8-11 p.m. Phone 624-3811.

**Pianist Don Pendergrass** — The Tap Room Bar & Grill, The Lodge at Pebble Beach, 17-Mile Drive, 7-11 p.m. Phone 624-3811.

**Brazilian Jazz: The Helcio Milito Trio With Flautist Tim Jackson and Kenny Stahl** — The Inn at Spanish Bay, 2700 17-Mile Drive, Pebble Beach, 7-11 p.m., free. Phone 647-7423.

### MISCELLANEOUS

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## MONDAY .....31

### MUSIC/DANCE

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**Pianist Don Pendergrass** — The Tap Room Bar & Grill, The Lodge at Pebble Beach, 17-Mile Drive, 7-11 p.m. Phone 624-3811.

### LECTURES/WORKSHOPS

**"Dreams: What Can They Mean, If Anything?"** — Monterey Peninsula Friends of C.G. Jung, 284 Foam St., Monterey, 7 p.m., weekly. Reservations: 649-4018.

**Robinson Jeffers' "Themes in My Poems"** by Cecil Wahle — Harrison Memorial Library, Park Branch, Sixth and Mission, Carmel, 10:30 a.m. and 2:30 p.m., free. Phone 624-4664.

**"Harrison Memorial Library's Services and Program,"** by Lani Fremier — Carmel Woman's Club, Ninth and San Carlos, Carmel, 2 p.m., \$3 non-members. Phone 624-3379.

**"Pranic Healing"** by Hector Ramos — Thunderbird Bookshop Cafe, The Barnyard, Carmel, 7 p.m., \$6. Phone 624-9414.

## TUESDAY .....1

### MUSIC/DANCE

**Greek folk dance classes** — Sunset Center Room 10, San Carlos and Ninth, Carmel, All Ages, Partners Not Required, Beginners 6:30 p.m., Intermediates and Advanced 7:30-9:30, \$4. Phone 375-2549.

**The Dino Vera Duo** — The Tap Room Bar & Grill, The Lodge at Pebble Beach, 17-Mile Drive, 7-11 p.m. Phone 624-3811.

**Al James Band** — Cibos, 301 Alvarado St., Monterey, 9-12:30 a.m., free. Phone 649-8151.

### LECTURES/WORKSHOPS

**"When You're Up to Your Eyeballs in Alligators"** by Larry Wilde — Thunderbird Bookshop Cafe, The Barnyard, Carmel, 7 p.m., \$6. Phone 624-9414.

### MISCELLANEOUS

**Cypresses Barbershop Harmony Chorus meets** — Salvation Army Center, Contra Costa St. at Elm Ave., Seaside, 7:15-10 p.m. Phone 373-1546.

**Duplicate Bridge** — All Saints Church, Ninth and Lincoln, Carmel, 1 p.m., \$4.25. Phone 625-4307.

**International Children's Book Day** — Bay Books, 316 Alvarado St., Monterey, 3 p.m., free. Phone 375-1855.

## WEDNESDAY .....2

### MUSIC/DANCE

**Monterey International Folk Dancers** — Neighborhood Center, Lighthouse at Dickman,

## Molly Sweeney



Next week's Peninsula section will carry a review of 'Molly Sweeney,' which opened last week at the Golden Bough Playhouse in Carmel, Monte Verde and Eighth. Pacific Repertory Theatre's production of 'Molly Sweeney,' from one of Ireland's living playwrights, Brian Friel, runs through Sunday, April 27. Performances tonight and Friday will take place at 7:30. The production is directed by Dan Gatch. Tickets are \$15 for adults, \$10 for students and seniors. More information: 622-0100.

Monterey, 7-9:30 p.m., \$1, All Ages, Partners Not Required. Phone 624-6060.

**Roger Eddy Band** — Cibos, 301 Alvarado St., Monterey, 9-12:30 a.m., free. Phone 649-8151.

### LECTURES/WORKSHOPS

**"Your Child's Self-Esteem"** by Judy Masliyah — Thunderbird Bookshop Cafe, The Barnyard, Carmel, 7:30-9 p.m., \$7. Phone 624-9414.

### MISCELLANEOUS

**Duplicate Bridge** — All Saints Church, Ninth and Lincoln, Carmel, 1 p.m., \$4.25. Phone 625-4307.

**BINGO** — Vista Lobos, Torres and Fourth, Carmel, 2:30 p.m., weekly, free. Phone 625-1255.

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# PLUGGED IN

From page 2B

as the next top male jazz vocalist.

A solid improviser, Wright never sings a song the same way twice. "There's more expressiveness in jazz, and there's that improvisational freedom," said Wright explaining why he opted for a career in jazz. "In jazz, the audience rewards your creative freedom. The respect of other jazz musicians is more important than money in the bank."

Wright, who also is a talented pianist, has developed into an accomplished composer as well. He wrote five original compositions for his debut album and another three tunes on his latest release, *Rhythm, Reason & Rhyme*.

In addition to his concert, festival and nightclub engagements, Scotty has dedicated time to presenting educational clinics. Intent with upholding the jazz tradition, Wright is a performer serious about his art.

He will be accompanied Saturday at the Jazz Store by bassist **Mark Williams** and drummer **Peter Riso**. Admission is \$20 per person. Music begins at 7:30 p.m. More information: 624-6432.

## ■ An Irish wake For Michael O'Reilly

Family, friends and musicians will all gather at Doc's Nightclub on Sunday, April 6 to celebrate the life of **Michael O'Reilly**, who died Feb. 23 after a one-year battle with cancer.

Born and raised in Seaside, O'Reilly, 42, played saxophone for more than 20 years with a number of local music groups, including **The Bow Williams Band**, **Common Ground**, **Spectrum** and **Foreign Exchange**.

Wake co-organizer and longtime friend **Dave Lang** recently shared his thoughts about Michael with me.

"When I think of Michael, I think of energy and enthusiasm," Lang said. "He had abundant amounts of both and he infected other people with them."

Positive and energetic to the very end, O'Reilly touched the lives of many musicians and fellow Christians at the five different churches to which he belonged. A diverse array of local artists who played with Michael throughout the years will perform on Sunday.

Music starts at 5 p.m. There is a \$10 suggested contribution at the door. All proceeds of the event will go to the family of Michael to defray medical expenses. More information: 394-1836.

## ■ Royal Finger Bowl at Morgan's

Fresh from a pair of recent performances at the South by Southwest Conference in Austin, Texas, and at the Great American Music Hall in San Francisco, **Royal Fingerbowl** will play the comfy confines of Morgan's Coffeehouse in Monterey on Friday.

Featuring the talented singer / songwriter and guitarist **Alex McMurray**, **Royal Fingerbowl** plays a potpourri of jazz, blues and rock. Part of a vibrant New Orleans music scene, the trio has been known to play tongue-in-cheek versions of songs by everyone from Gershwin to Madonna.

The group's performances of scores from such films as "The Jungle Book" and "Willie Wonka and the Chocolate Factory" are considered rare treats by patrons of the Dragon's Den where the trio plays regularly in New Orleans.

Recently signed by TVT Records, the group (including McMurray, drummer **Kevin O'Day** and acoustic bass player **Andrew Wolf**) plays a wide range of styles from aching melancholy to raucous swing. Music starts at 8 p.m.

## ■ International Guitar Festival

At the **Pacific Grove Art Center**, promoter **Barbara Murphy** presents an International Guitar Festival on Saturday featuring a trio of the world's finest fingerstyle guitarists from Germany, Italy and the United States.

From Germany, **Peter Finger** is recognized as one of Europe's premier acoustic guitar craftsmen. He has released more than 15 recordings in the United States including his most recent project, *Between the Lines*, on Acoustic Music Records.

Italy's **Antonio Calogero** is a guitarist-composer who combines a unique blend of Mediterranean and American influences in his music. His rich and passionate style reflects the influence of his Italian heritage, American



The Unknown Jeromes will bring their brand of funk to Chevy's restaurant in the Carmel Crossroads on Friday, April 4.

folk music and jazz, as well as his training in classical composition.

Also performing is San Francisco's **Brian Gore**. His debut CD, *Path of Least Resistance*, was produced by **Peppino D'Agostino** and his style draws raves and frequent comparisons to **Michael Hedges**.

Advance tickets (\$10) are available at the Bookmark, 307 Forest Ave., Pacific Grove, or admission is \$12 at the door. Reservations: 373-7379.

## ■ Monterey World One Unveils Lineup

Scheduled for the weekend of June 7-8, the **Monterey World One Festival** truly has the potential to become a legitimate annual event. "Celebrating the emerging world culture in music, dance and the spoken word," the promoters of Monterey World One have put together an auspicious lineup of more than 50 performers, including headliners **Los Lobos**, **Flora Purim** and **Airto**, **Steeleye Span**, **CJ Chenier**, **Laura Love** and the **Mari Boine Band**.

Other artists representing the sounds and rhythms of every hemisphere will perform on four stages over the course of two days at the Monterey County Fairgrounds.

Occurring on the 30th anniversary of the historic Monterey International Pop Festival, World One is a project of the Cultural Council for Monterey County and will showcase traditional music as well as contemporary, from folk music to the sounds of Africa and the East.

Watch for more details, including how to get tickets, in a future column.

## Performance Carmel slates Bluestory! for next Saturday

**BLUESTORY!**, AN evening of country blues, music and legends is the next offering in the Performance Carmel series at Sunset Theater.

With acoustic blues master **John Cephas** on guitar, **Phil Wiggins** on harp and storyteller **Jackie Torrence**, **Bluestory!** is scheduled for 8 p.m. Saturday, April 5.

The evening will include the artists performing individually and together.

Single tickets for **Bluestory!** are priced at \$12.50 and \$16. Additional information can be obtained by calling 624-3996 or by writing **Sunset Cultural Center**, P.O. Box 1950, Carmel 93921.



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■ **Unknown Jeromes at Chevy's Restaurant**  
Imagine Enterprises continues its showcase of local talent at **Chevy's Restaurant** Friday, April 4 with a rare appearance by local funk band **The Unknown Jeromes**.

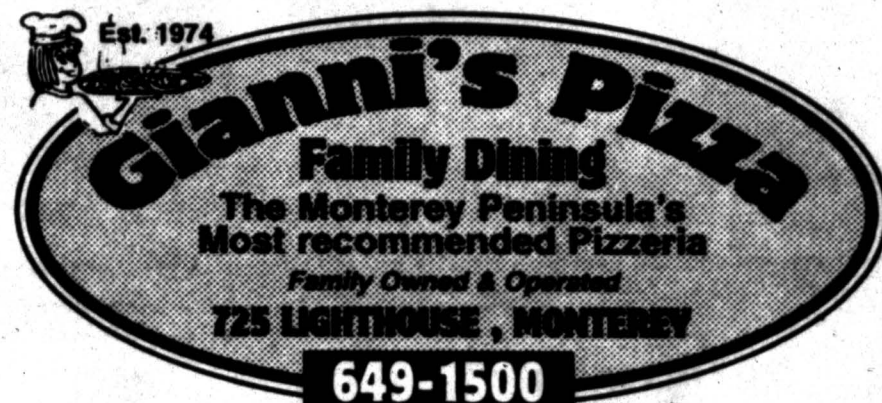
Comprised of the talented rhythm section of bassist **Richard Hall** and drummer **Jason M. Tobosa**; keyboardist **Jim Perfumo**; and guitarist **David McGillicuddy**, the Unknown Jeromes play a funky mix of acid-jazz, soul and hip-hop.

Heavily influenced by ground breaking artists **Prince**, **Miles Davis**, **Parliament Funkadelic**, **James Brown** and **Sly and the Family Stone**, the quartet has not been content solely playing local gigs.

Popular in Santa Cruz and San Jose, the group makes its first local appearance in several months.

Call 622-0235 or 626-0945 for more information.

■ **Stephen L. Vagnini** is a self-described music activist who resides in Marina. For more than 15 years Vagnini has promoted concerts, managed bands and covered the local music beat. His column appears every other week in *The Pine Cone's* PENINSULA section.



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Riders will compete in a variety of classes, including an event where horse and rider ride for speed and a clean round over a jump course.

The show runs daily from 8 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. through Sunday. It is free, but spectators must pay a \$7 gate fee without a pass. More information: 624-2756.





# Restaurant

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624-3801  
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625-3122

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5th & Mission  
625-0501

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624-2233

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& 6th  
649-0199

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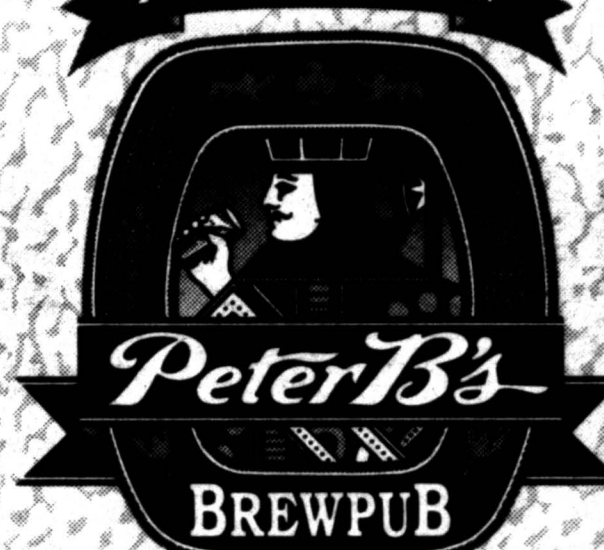
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## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970185  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **OMEGA ADVERTISING, 969 Rosita, Del Rey Oaks, Ca. 93940.**  
**TIMOTHY DALE HILL, same as above.**  
This business is conducted by an individual.  
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Jan. 29, 1997.  
(s) Tim Dale Hill  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 29, 1997.  
Publication dates: March 13, 20, 27, April 3, 1997.  
(PC337)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F97042  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **COASTLINE BUSINESS FORMS, 1714 Contra Costa Street, Sand City, Ca. 93955.**  
This business is conducted by a corporation.  
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on July 1, 1976.

(s) Neal V. Owens, Pres.  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 27, 1997.  
Publication dates: March 13, 20, 27, April 3, 1997.  
(PC339)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970442  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **RUFFLES AND WOODS, 13995 Mtn. Quail Rd., Salinas, Ca. 93908.**  
**RUTH ANN WILLIAMS, 13995 Mt. Quail Rd., Salinas, Ca. 93908.**  
This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on March 1, 1997.  
(s) Ruth-Ann Williams  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 28, 1997.  
Publication dates: March 13, 20, 27, April 3, 1997.  
(PC340)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970363  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **Y'NOM ENTERTAINMENT, 1104 Broadway Center, Broadway Ave., Suite G, Seaside, Ca. 93955.**

**RAMONE TRAHEN HYDE, 3056 Bostick Ave., Marina, Ca. 93933.**  
This business is conducted by an individual.  
(s) Ramone Hyde  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 19, 1997.  
Publication dates: March 13, 20, 27, April 3, 1997.  
(PC342)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970285  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **GREWELL DELIVERY SERVICE, 540 Hamilton Ave., Seaside, Ca. 93955.**  
**BONNIE KAYE GREWELL, 590 Hamilton Ave., Seaside, Ca. 93955.**  
This business is conducted by an independent.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Feb. 7, 1997.  
(s) Bonnie K. Grewell  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 7, 1997.  
Publication dates: March 13, 20, 27, April 3, 1997.  
(PC343)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970216  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **GARY HAEDRICH'S AUTO BODY, MARK'S BARN, SOLE PROPRIETOR, 654 Ortiz Ave., Sand City, Ca. 93955.**  
**GARY R. HAEDRICH, 1061 Lorenzo Ct., Seaside, Ca. 93955.**  
This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 2/15/97.  
(s) Gary R. Haedrick  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 31, 1997.  
Publication dates: March 13, 20, 27, April 3, 1997.  
(PC345)

## STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

File No.F931008  
The following person has abandoned the use of the fictitious business name **REALTY WORLD REAL ESTATE PROFESSIONALS, INC. at 1002-B N. Davis Rd., Salinas, Ca. 93907.**

The fictitious business name referred to above was filed in Monterey County on June 4, 1993.  
**REAL ESTATE PROFESSIONALS, INC. 1002-B N. Davis Rd., Salinas, Ca. 93907.**  
This business was conducted by a corporation.  
(s) Norma L. Mills, president  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on March 4, 1997.  
Publication dates: March 13, 20, 27, April 3, 1997.  
(PC341)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970352  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **FINEARTE, RE CENTRAL, 1001 Funston Ave. #1, Pacific Grove, Ca. 93950.**

**RAYE E. MORIN, 25960 Junipero Ave., Carmel, Ca. 93923.**  
**VERA AMBROSIO, 1001 Funston Ave. #1, Pacific Grove, Ca. 93950.**  
This business is conducted by co-partners.  
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Feb. 15, 1996.

(s) Raye E. Morin  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 19, 1997.  
Publication dates: March 13, 20, 27, April 3, 1997.  
(PC348)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970305  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **POPEYE'S CUSTOM CYCLES, 60 Maelin St., Salinas, Ca. 93901.**

**RANDY MICHAEL MONIGHETTI, 1753 Donner Cir., Salinas, Ca. 93906.**  
This business is conducted by an individual.  
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1/1/97.

(s) Randy Monighetti  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 10, 1997.  
Publication dates: March 13, 20, 27, April 3, 1997.  
(PC344)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970328  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **FOX 'N' HORN, 14465 Del Monte Farms Road, Elkhorn, California, 95012-9757.**  
**NANCY STONE, 14465 Del Monte Farms, Elkhorn, Ca. 95012.**

**DANIELLE STONE, 14465 Del Monte Farms, Elkhorn, Ca. 95012.**  
This business is conducted by a general partnership.  
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on March 1, 1997.

(s) Danielle Stone  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 12, 1997.  
Publication dates: March 13, 20, 27, April 3, 1997.  
(PC346)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970326  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **TWO WAY GRAPHICS, 25500 Via Mariquita, Carmel, Ca. 93923.**

**MASAOKI AOKI, 25500 Via Mariquita, Carmel, Ca. 93923.**  
**BONNIE C. SATO, 25500 Via Mariquita, Carmel, Ca. 93923.**  
This business is conducted by joint venture.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on March 1, 1997.  
(s) Masaaki Aoki  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 12, 1997.  
Publication dates: March 20, 27, April 3, 10, 1997.  
(PC353)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970388  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **BABE'S BROWNIES, 3 SE Santa Rita/4th, Carmel, P.O. Box 1183, Carmel, Ca. 93921.**

**WENDY S. FERGUSON, 3 SE Santa Rita/4th, Carmel, Ca. 93921.**  
This business is conducted by an individual.  
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on March 1, 1997.

(s) Wendy S. Ferguson  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 21, 1997.  
Publication dates: March 13, 20, 27, April 3, 1997.  
(PC335)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970475  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **DIGITAL DIAMONDS, 3052 Eddy Cir., Marina, Ca. 93933.**

**MARKUS L. WILSON, 3052 Eddy Cir., Marina, Ca. 93933.**  
This business is conducted by an individual.  
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on March 7, 1997.

(s) Markus L. Wilson  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on March 7, 1997.  
Publication dates: March 13, 20, 27, April 3, 1997.  
(PC336)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970433  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **MAIN EVENT LIMOUSINE'S 551 Watson St., Monterey, Ca. P.O. Box 2751, Monterey, Ca. 93942.**

**ANDRE JACQUES PLANCHON, 551 Watson St., Monterey, Ca. 93942.**  
This business is conducted by an individual.  
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Dec. 1, 1996.

(s) Andre Planchon  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 28, 1997.  
Publication dates: March 13, 20, 27, April 3, 1997.  
(PC338)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970175  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **PERSONAL TOUCH FOLLOW-UP SYSTEMS, 1235 San Angelo Drive, Salinas, Ca. 93901.**

**ELIZABETH BAYLES KNAFLA, same as above.**  
This business is conducted by an individual.  
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 11/30/90.

(s) Elizabeth B. Knafla  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 28, 1997.  
Publication dates: March 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.  
(PC304)

## STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

File No.F941545  
The following person has abandoned the use of the fictitious business name **DOLLARS & CENTS RECYCLING at 1381 G. Dayton St., Salinas, Ca. 93901.**

The fictitious business name referred to above was filed in Monterey County on 8-12-1994.  
**URSULA DENNER, 1525 Halt Brook Dr., San Jose, Ca. 95118.**  
This business was conducted an individual.

(s) Ursula Denner  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 18, 1997.  
Publication dates: March 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.  
(PC327)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970153  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **THE CORNERSTONE GROUP, 214 Ridge Road, Pacific Grove, Ca. 93950.**

**LISA CAROL BENNETT, 214 Ridge Road, Pacific Grove, Ca. 93950.**  
This business is conducted by an individual.  
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Jan. 1, 1997.

(s) Lisa C. Bennett  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 27, 1997.  
Publication dates: March 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.  
(PC309)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970402  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **HORIZON DISTRIBUTING, 1165 Third St., Monterey, Ca. 93940.**

**SEAN PAUL FORD, 1165 Third St., Monterey, Ca. 93940.**  
This business is conducted by individual.

(s) Sean Ford  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 25, 1997.  
Publication dates: March 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.  
(PC310)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970344  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **THE VACATION STATION, 1243 De Cunha Ct., Salinas, Ca. 93906.**

**SHARON MARKS 1243 De Cunha Ct., Salinas, Ca. 93906.**  
**WILLIAM MARKS, same as above.**

This business is conducted by husband and wife.  
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 5-1-97.

(s) Sharon Marks  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 18, 1997.  
Publication dates: March 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.  
(PC311)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970394  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **ISLAND TAN, 786 Wave St., Monterey, Ca. 93940.**

**SEAN PAUL CROCE, 4071 Mora Lane, Pebble Beach, Ca. 93953.**

**GARY FRANKLIN AMBROSIA, 4071 Mora Lane, Pebble Beach, Ca. 93953.**  
This business is conducted by co-partners.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 2/20/97.  
(s) Sean Croce  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 24, 1997.  
Publication dates: March 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.  
(PC315)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970163  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **J. WIND DESIGNS, GRAY FOX FORCE & FABRICATION, GRAY FOX FARM, 49220 Martinez Rd., Lockwood, Ca. 93932.**

**JERRY L. HEY, 49220 Martinez Rd., Lockwood, Ca. 93932.**  
**JOY MALIS HEY, 49220 Martinez Rd., Lockwood, Ca. 93932.**  
This business is conducted by husband and wife.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1-27-97.  
(s) Joy Malis-Hey  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 27, 1997.  
Publication dates: March 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.  
(PC316)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970325  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **PACIFIC CONTINENTAL TRUSS, INC. 1051 Industrial Way, King City, Ca. 93930.**

**PACIFIC CONTINENTAL WOOD PRODUCTS, INC. - California, same as above.**  
This business is conducted by a corporation.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1-1-91.  
(s) Sandra L. Ellis  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 12, 1997.  
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(PC319)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970416  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **VALLEY AG. MANAGEMENT, 635 Sanborn Place #2, Salinas, Ca. 93908.**

**CHRIS BURNETT, 2132 Alisal Rd., Salinas, Ca. 93908.**  
This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 3/1/97.  
(s) Chris Burnett

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 26, 1997.  
Publication dates: March 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.  
(PC312)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970337  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **INWARD BOUND VENTURES, 100 Campus Center/Seaside, Ca. 93955.**

**ALFRIEDA WILKINS, 1534 Devers Ct., Marina, Ca. 93933.**  
This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Feb. 1, 1997 in Ca. 1981 in IL.

(s) Alfrieda Wilkins  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 14, 1997.  
Publication dates: March 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970319  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **RYLAND ANIMAL CARE, 166 Carmelito Ave. #A, Monterey, Ca. 93940.**

**ALTAS TIERRA PROPERTIES, INC. 166 Carmelito Ave. #A, Monterey, Ca. 93940.**  
This business is conducted by a corporation.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 4/1/97.

(s) Treasurer Theresa Hyland  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 11, 1997.  
Publication dates: March 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.  
(PC314)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970040  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **PRIORITY BUSINESS AND INFORMATION SERVICES, 580 San Juan Grade Rd., Salinas, Ca. 93906.**

**BRUCE ARMOUR, 630 Oregon St., Watsonville, Ca. 95076.**  
This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1-1-97.  
(s) Bruce Armour  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 7, 1997.  
Publication dates: March 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.  
(PC317)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970350  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **PACIFIC COAST SOILS, CHURCH'S LANDSCAPE SUPPLY, 470 Hidden Valley Rd., Watsonville, Ca. 95076.**

**GLENN CHURCH, 470 Hidden Valley Rd., Watsonville, Ca. 95076.**  
This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Feb. 20, 1997.  
(s) Glenn Church  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 19, 1997.  
Publication dates: March 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.  
(PC325)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970347  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **DOLLARS & CENTS RECYCLING, 1381 G. Dayton St., Salinas, Ca. 93901.**

**JOE MAZZUCA, 1933 San Miguel Cyn. Rd. Prunedale, Ca. 93907.**  
This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1-1-97.

(s) JOE MAZZUCA  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 18, 1997.  
Publication dates: March 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.  
(PC326)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970448  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **CALCUTTERS, 256 Lighthouse Ave., Monterey, Ca. 93940.**

**KELLY JAY KENDALL, 315 Junipero St., Pacific Grove, Ca. 93950.**  
This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on March 3, 1997.  
(s) Kelly Jay Kendall  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on March 3, 1997.  
Publication dates: March 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.  
(PC328)

## STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME

File No.F950613  
The following person has abandoned the use of the fictitious business name **CAL CUTTERS at 256 Lighthouse Ave., Monterey, Ca. 93940.**

The fictitious business name referred to above was filed in Monterey County on March 29, 1995.

**Jack Lee #2 Crescent Ct., Mont. Ca. 93940.**

This business was conducted an individual.

(s) Jack Lee  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on March 3, 1997.  
Publication dates: March 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.  
(PC329)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970301  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **GOLDEN STATE COFFEE SERVICES, 723 E. Lake Ave., Watsonville, Ca. 95076.**

**ROBERT P. GILLIGAN, 525 Stevenson St., Salinas, Ca. 93907.**  
This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 2/15/1982.  
(s) Robert P. Gilligan  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 10, 1997.  
Publication dates: March 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.  
(PC321)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970438  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **WALKER SMITH AND BOLEJACK, REAL ESTATE SERVICES, 210 Capitol Street, Suite 9, Salinas, Ca. 93901.**

**DETRA K. WALKER, 16083 Sharon Ln., Salinas, Ca. 93908.**  
This business is conducted by co-op.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 2/23/97.

(s) Detra K. Walker  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 28, 1997.  
Publication dates: March 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.  
(PC322)

## FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No.F970279  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **DIAZ BROS. BAIL BONDS, 1728 New Haven Way, Salinas, Ca. 93906.**

**ANTHONY STEVE DIAZ, 1728 New Haven Way, Salinas, Ca., 93906.**

**DEREK MANUEL DIAZ, 1849 Cherokee Dr., #4, Salinas, Ca. 93901.**

**MARK DAMON DIAZ, 1077 Sherman Dr., Salinas, Ca. 93905.**  
This business is conducted by a general partnership.

(s) Derek Diaz  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 6, 1997.  
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(PC331)



# Yogurt offers health benefits; Spay Day USA growing

**WE'VE ALL** heard about the value of eating yogurt, especially the organic type.

But did you know that yogurt is good for dogs and cats, too?



## Doris Day's Best Friends

By Doris Day

Many four-leggers love milk but just like some people, they are lactose intolerant. Milk can trigger allergies and diarrhea — but yogurt doesn't present those problems. The active cultures in yogurt predigest the lactose, making it a healthy food for dogs and cats.

Yogurt is high in B complex vitamins, which soothe the nervous system. It surpasses milk in vitamins A and D, promoting healthy skin, eyes and bones.

Yogurt also works to replenish the friendly bacteria in the large intestine, and it helps keep the intestinal tract clean, preventing

gas and diarrhea.

If you'd like to supplement your Best Friend's diet with a daily dollop of yogurt, here are the amounts to feed:

|                             |            |
|-----------------------------|------------|
| Cats & small dogs (1-12 lb) | 1 tsp.     |
| Medium dogs (15-35 lb)      | 2 tsp.     |
| Large dogs (50-85 lb)       | 1 Tbs.     |
| Giant dogs (85 + lb)        | 1-1/2 Tbs. |

I stress the benefit of organic yogurt because it doesn't contain the chemicals and medications found in conventionally-produced milk.

Sometimes, the low-fat, plain variety (never feed flavored yogurt) is hard to find and in that case, substitute non-fat plain. Organic dairy products are available at health food stores and some grocery stores.

### ■ Spay Day USA thrives

I know that many of my readers are members of the Doris Day Animal League and have been very supportive of our annual Spay Day USA event. This is a national effort that has been responsible for spaying and neutering

70,000 of cats and dogs in just its first two years.

We were thrilled to learn that the third annual Spay Day USA, held Feb. 25, will have pushed that number to more than 100,000.

Although the numbers for most of the events across the country are not yet in, at least eight individual Spay Day's generated much higher numbers of spays and neuters than in 1996. One organization in Muscatine, Iowa — Spay/Neuter Assistance for Pets — was alone responsible for 756 spays and neuters this year. In '96, that group did 34.

Final figures for Spay Day USA '97 are expected to be released in about a month.

But when you consider the fact one cat and her offspring can produce more than 420,000 cats in seven years, and one dog and her offspring can result in more than 67,000 puppies in six years, the importance of Spay

Day USA is never so clear.

### ■ Words of Wisdom

"Meow" is like "Aloha," it can mean anything.

— Hank Ketchum, American cartoonist

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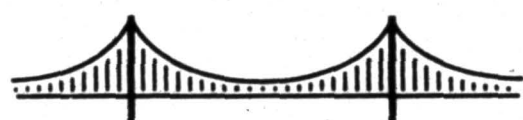
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Have a wonderful time listening to Scotty Wright's gorgeous velvety voice as he scats, swoons and swings. Here is a solid improviser who also can deliver lush, romantic ballads in the style of Billy Eckstine or Joe Williams. But his sound is his own, and with his own compositions, he promises to broaden the scope of male jazz vocalists and their repertoire.

Scotty Wright Trio

Sat.  
Mar. 29



Mark Levine Trio

Concord jazz recording artist and pianist Mark Levine has performed or recorded with a long list of jazz luminaries, including Woody Shaw, Cal Tjader, and Joe Henderson with his history of playing with Tito Puente, and others. Levine knows his Latin jazz and salsa; but he plays everything well. Peter Barshay will be on bass and Eddie Marshall on drums for a polished set of great jazz.

Fri.  
Apr. 4



Roy Hargrove has been blazing trails since leaving school in Dallas, Texas. He has recorded numerous highly acclaimed albums for the Verve label, as well as with others like Shirley Horn and and most recently Oscar Peterson. His appearance at the last Monterey Jazz Festival was memorable, not only for his great technical ability on trumpet, but his feel and obvious love of the music he plays.

Roy Hargrove Quintet

Sat.  
Apr. 19



Bud Shank and David Friesen

Bud Shank returns to the jazz Store after a wonderful show last August celebrating his 50 years performing jazz. He will team up with the unique bass virtuoso David Friesen, who recently performed here with both Danny Zeitlin and Uwe Kopinski. With Shank and Friesen together, you will be treated to an intimate evening with two of the most creative minds in jazz.

Sun.  
Apr. 20



Kevin Mahogany debuts at the Jazz Store accompanied by the Ace Hill Trio. Mahogany was just voted best male vocalist by the Jazz Times reader's poll, passing Joe Williams. He is generally regarded as keeper of the flame for male vocalists, and has garnered great reviews for performances and recordings alike, and last year he performed in the film Kansas City. Backed by pianist Ace Hill and his trio, Mahogany's jazz and blues interpretations will be memorable.

Kevin Mahogany and the Ace Hill Trio

Sat.  
Apr. 26



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# A funny thing (or two) happened on the way to escrow

THE REAL ESTATE business often requires innovation.

It's kind of like playing jazz. One constantly plays the old standards, but improvisation, along with professionalism and good technique, at times affords one the opportunity to weave a new tune over the old melody.



## The Annals of Real Estate

By Paul & Nellie Brocchini

Here, Paul recounts two examples of his virtuosity: "I remember a rainy morning in Pacific Grove about 10 years ago when I was opening a house for a client. The key worked fine, but the owner had gone out another door and had mistakenly left the door chained on the inside. Although I had an appointment, we could

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not get in. The front door key did not work on any of the other outside doors. "Luckily, my client was reasonably strong. We cased the house and found an open upstairs window. I climbed on his shoulders, and he boosted me through the window. This was the first and last second-story job of my career. I showed him the house, left my card with the proper thank you, unchained the door, exited and didn't get arrested! (He bought something else)."

**No longer a dog**  
"A few years later, I had a house listed

in Carmel Hills owned by my client and friend, Helga Browne. Helga had spent a lot of money on remodeling what had been a true dog, turning it into a pretty and appealing house.

"Unfortunately, however, the lot backed up onto Highway One which discouraged many potential buyers. It was a difficult property to sell even though it offered substantially better amenities than other Carmel houses in the same price range.

"After several months of struggle, Barbara and Stan Yeomans brought in a qualified buyer who both loved the house

and offered a price that I thought Helga should take.

"The problem was that Helga had just married Carmel Valley legend, Eric Scarlett, and the two of them were on their honeymoon at Helga's mountain retreat in Big Sur, a place with no telephone."

### No time to waste

"I had a problem. The buyer needed a fast answer or she would be out of the picture, and Helga was incommunicado with Eric in Big Sur. As far as I knew, neither of them were coming back to Carmel for at least a week. I had to find them. Cherchez la Retreat.

"The second problem was that no one, not even Helga's son, could describe precisely where the cabin was. He gave me good enough directions to get close, but once in the near vicinity I would be pretty much on my own. He did suggest that a four-wheel drive would be a good idea.

"Fortunately, my friend Roy Thomas had a strong four-wheel drive van which

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## Carmel/South Coast

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**NEW ON THE MARKET** \$449,500  
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### FABULOUS OCEAN & MT. VIEWS

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**ONE ACRE W/WATER!** \$379,000  
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**ATTENTION CONTRACTORS!** \$375,000  
Super value on this .85 acre lot. Two legal lots of record. Remodel this home when water is available. Built on separate lot, high on the hill. Fish ranch views.



## Monterey

**MOTIVATED SELLER** \$420,000  
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**GREAT OCEAN VIEWS!** \$329,000  
Nice, new Monterey home w/great ocean views. This 3 BR/2.5 BA features open kitchen, family room and office. Vaulted ceilings, fireplace, ocean views in the living room. Master suite has nice bathroom and lots of closet space.

**SOOTHING SOUNDS** \$319,000  
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## Pacific Grove

**NEED EXTRA ROOM?** \$465,000  
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**EASY LIVING** \$369,900  
Don't miss this 3 BR/2 BA home in Pacific Grove. Immaculate move-in condition. Large master suite. Great sunroom addition. Updated kitchen and bathroom. You will love this low maintenance ranch style home less than a mile to the beach. Great floor plan, circular driveway, alarm system, Jacuzzi tub. Handicap access.

**WELCOME HOME** \$365,000  
This newer home sits on a low-maintenance lot at the sunny end of Pacific Grove, 4 bedrooms upstairs. Downstairs features both family room/kitchen and separate living room. White tile countertops in kitchen. Upstairs laundry room. Full 2-car garage.

**RELAX & ENJOY LIFE** \$340,000  
...in this easy-care 3 bedroom home with a 2-car garage. Easy to maintain including low-maintenance yard with sprinkler and drip system. Great school nearby and close to town and ocean.

**RECENTLY LISTED** \$285,000  
Cute 2-story home with reverse floor plan — 3rd bedroom is downstairs. High ceilings in living room gives a spacious feeling. Low maintenance. 2-car garage.

**WARM & LIGHT** \$273,000  
Interior plaster walls accented by a coved living room ceiling and Carmel stone fireplace. Sunny dining nook adjoins the open/kitchen. Oak floors in living and dining rooms. Fir floors in bedrooms. A street-to-alley lot. 1-car garage.



## Carmel Valley

**EXPANSIVE VIEWS** \$649,000  
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## BROCCHINIS

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he kindly lent it to me. Armed with my sketchy map, I headed to Big Sur at about 10 a.m.

"I drove forever down the coast and headed up into the mountains at the indicated point. There was a junction that I was supposed to look for, but when I got into the area where I was supposed to find it, there were several such crossroads that all looked alike to me.

"I queried the occasional person I saw on the road, but up there in counter-culture land nobody I met seemed to know anything about his neighbors, near or far. I tried several crossroads without any luck.

"Finally, I found a promising fork in the road, and headed Roy's vehicle down into a canyon. I got onto a very steep, dirt road and although I was driving slowly, the van began to fish tail. When it spun

full across the road, it felt like it would roll over if I so much as leaned one degree to the downhill side.

"The beads of sweat began to pop out on my forehead. I had never rolled a vehi-

cle, and I didn't want to start with Roy Thomas's van.

"I slid and slashed my way down to the bottom where I came to a flat area for parking vehicles. Eric's car was not there,

so I was convinced that once again I had gone to the wrong place.

"Dejectedly, I put the van in four-wheel drive and made my way back up the slippery slope. It was much easier going up than down. Once back on top, I met a friendly gentleman on the road who actually knew the location of Helga's place. Yep, right back where I had been. But why wasn't Eric's car there?"

### In control

"I really didn't want to face the slope again, but there was no choice. Back down I went, even more slowly this time. I had better control of the van this time and reached bottom with only a few slips and slashes and no near roll overs. Now, I had to find the cabin.

"Helga's son had said that there was a path to the left and below the parking area. I went in that direction, found a path and hoped for the best. I descended for a few hundred yards until I began to hear the faint sounds of an opera. As I grew closer, the opera grew louder. I spotted the cabin.

"Now what do I do?, I thought. I didn't want to just barge in. They were on their Big Sur honeymoon. So I began to shout.

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Dr. Roy Thomas

## The gardens at CHOMP



PHOTO/CHRISTOPHER HULSE

The beautiful gardens at Community Hospital of the Monterey Peninsula are profiled in a feature on page 10 of this week's special section, REAL ESTATE/HOME & GARDEN, inside this week's Carmel Pine Cone.

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### NEW ON MARKET

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## Salinas

### DESIRABLE AREA

\$269,000

This custom, one-owner home is located in prestigious Maple Park. Spacious rooms, custom features, great location and landscaped yard makes this a desirable property. Other features include formal dining room, family room w/fireplace and wet bar, eat-in kitchen, tiled baths, and extra storage.

### NEW ON THE MARKET

\$229,000

Enjoy comfortable living in this spacious, well-maintained home. Beautiful hardwood floors and updated appliances in kitchen. Some new carpet. Features include skylight, wet bar, 2 fireplaces, 2-car garage, corner lot, patio, fenced yard.

### SUNNY LAS PALMAS

\$210,000

Desirable single level Las Palmas home, corner lot. 3 BR/2 BA tile entry, vaulted ceiling. Light and airy. Custom window coverings, 2-car garage. Large rooms w/lots of storage.

## Marina

### NEW ON THE MARKET

\$298,500

One of the larger and newer homes in Estridge Estates! Offering dining and family rooms, eat-in kitchen, fireplace, tiled patio in spacious, landscaped yard and 2-car garage.

### CUSTOM! CUSTOM! CUSTOM!

\$269,000

Wait till you see this 3 BR/2.5 BA home! Cute window coverings, mini-blinds, paint and beautiful wall. Lush carpets, built-in cabinetry in family room, gorgeous master suite, huge storage area, large yard. An immaculate dream home.



### UNDERSTATED CONTEMPORARY

\$2,995,000

Estate home on 2 level acres situated on the 4th fairway of Cypress Point Golf Course. Gated and fenced for complete privacy. This Pebble Beach residence features ocean and golf course views, 3 fireplaces, workshop, radiant heating, 3+ car garage, decking, and guest quarters.



### ARTISAN'S RETREAT

\$385,000

Indoor-outdoor living just blocks from Asilomar Beach. The beautifully redesigned kitchen opens directly onto a private deck with hot tub. Other features include: central vacuum, separate dining room and 2-car garage. The .44 acre lot is a naturalist's paradise in Pacific Grove.



### NEWER HOME W/BAY VIEWS

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Great home close to shopping and the Aquarium, 2-stories w/bedrooms and 2 bathrooms downstairs. Upstairs has good-sized living room w/fireplace, kitchen, w/family room and 1/2 bath, and a deck. This Monterey home features has a great floor plan.



### SUNNY LOCALE

\$699,900

Beautiful contemporary home overlooking Quail Lodge golf course in Carmel Valley. Spacious rooms, cathedral ceilings, open floor plan are inviting. Enter through a private courtyard. Master bath has large Jacuzzi tub.



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## ANNALS From page 11B

"Helga, Eric. HELGA, ERIC," while slowly advancing toward the cabin. As I got closer, my shouts grew louder. Finally and fortunately, Helga appeared on the porch, and her look of astonishment was the definition of the word.

"Just dropping by," I said. She laughed and ushered me in. Eric had gone to town, which explained the absence of his car.

"I didn't waste time. I told her we had a great offer and that she should take it, period. No counter offers, no niggly-pig-

gly changes that principals dearly love, just a signature and a date.

"I handed her my pen and the contract, which, to my shock, was streaked with blood. I had cut my finger on a thorn or bush on the trail and bled all over the contract. A little blood didn't stop Helga. She signed.

"We shared a glass of wine and some opera, and I went on my merry way to Carmel, a place I was sure I could find. I didn't get back into town until 8:30 p.m. It had taken all day. But the van was intact, I was in one piece and the deal was done."

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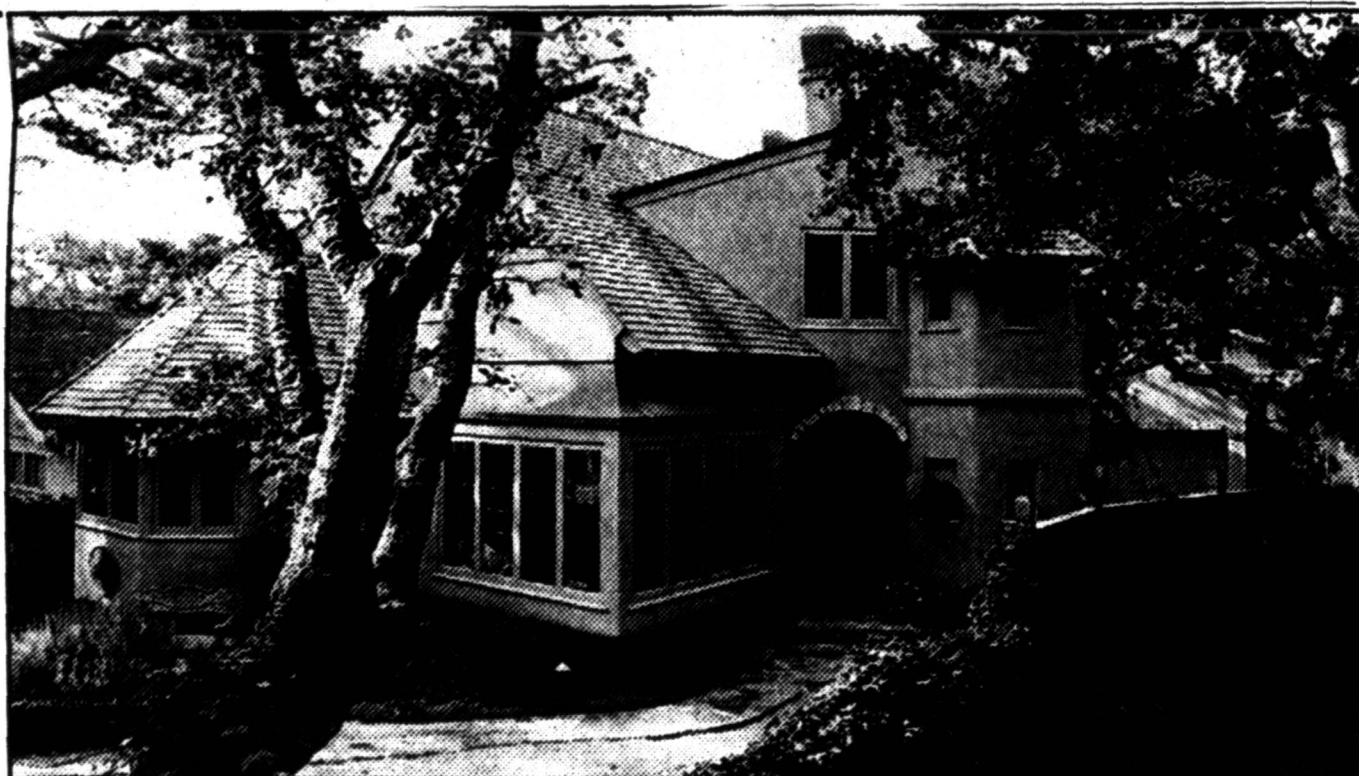
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Dining room/built-in hutch/ window seats                                      | <input type="checkbox"/> English and French hardware and fixtures                          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Gourmet kitchen   | <input type="checkbox"/> Guest bedroom and full bath with private patio                    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Five outdoor living areas   | <input type="checkbox"/> Custom built leaded glass windows throughout                      |
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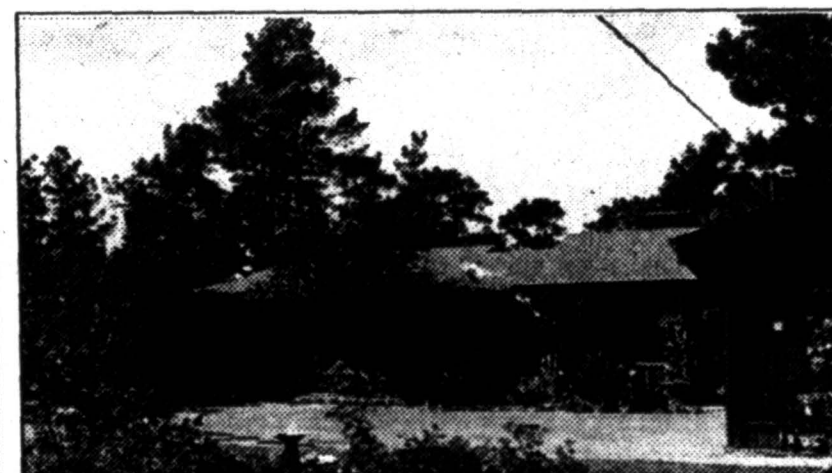
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1136 Alameda St, \$525,000  
Sat. 2-4, Del Monte Realty

25820 Paseo El Cajon, \$775,000  
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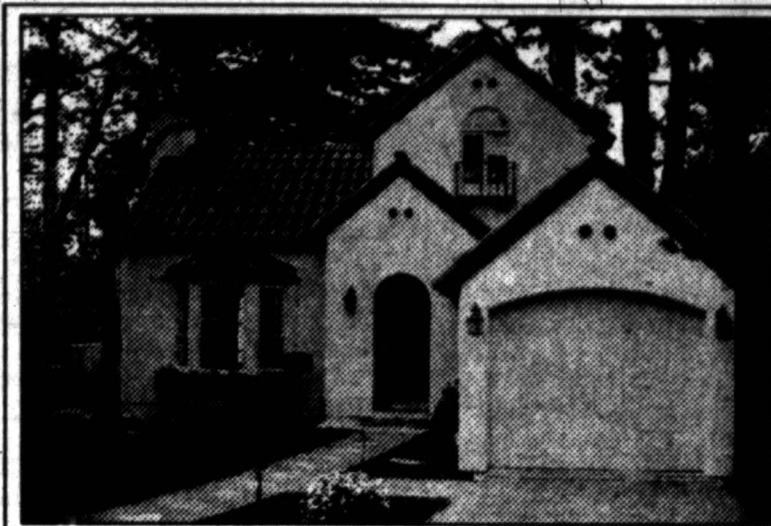
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**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**  
File No.F970302  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **CYPRESS GARDENS APARTMENTS**, 3135 Seacrest Ave., Marina, Ca. 93933.  
**CYPRESS GARDENS HOUSING CORPORATION (A California Non-Profit Corporation)** 7455 Carmel St., Gilroy, Ca. 95020.  
This business is conducted by a corporation.  
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 10/1/96.  
(s) Daniel D.Balmeria  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 10, 1997.  
Publication dates: March 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.  
(PC320)

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**  
File No.F970440  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **WALKER, SMITH AND BOLEJACK REAL ESTATE SERVICES**, 210 Capitol St., Suite 9, Salinas, Ca. 93901.  
**MARCIA CAROLYN SMITH**, 15276 Castroville Blvd. Castroville, Ca. 95012.  
This business is conducted by co-op.  
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 2/23/97.  
(s) Marcia Carolyn Smith  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 23, 1997.  
Publication dates: March 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.  
(PC323)

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**  
File No.F970259  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **CALIFORNIA CREATIVE LISTS**, 700 Cass St. #106, P.O. Box 1128, Monterey, Ca. 93940.  
**GARY M. RUSSELL**, 747 Lyndon, Monterey, Ca. 93940.  
This business is conducted by an individual.  
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 2/01/97.  
(s) Gary M. Russell

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 5, 1997.  
Publication dates: March 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.  
(PC305)

**STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME**  
F-960750  
The following person has abandoned the use of the fictitious business name **B.J. MENDELSON ASSOCIATES** at 225 The Crossroads #368 Carmel, Ca. 93923.  
The fictitious business name referred to above was filed in Monterey County on 4/22/96.  
**BERT J. MENDELSON**, 225 The Crossroads #368, Carmel, Ca. 93923.  
This business was conducted by Bert J. Mendelsohn, an individual.  
(s) Bert Mendelsohn  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 20, 1997.  
Publication dates: March 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.  
(PC302)

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**  
File No.F970367  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **THE DELPHI GROUP**, 13 Shepherd's Knoll, Pebble Beach, Ca. 93953.  
**LOTTE B. MENDELSON & BERT J. MENDELSON**, 13 Shepherd's Knoll, Pebble Beach, Ca. 93953.  
**BERT J. MENDELSON**, 13 Shepherd's Knoll, Pebble Beach, Ca. 93953.  
This business is conducted by husband and wife.  
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 2/26/96.  
(s) Lotte B. Mendelsohn  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 20, 1997.  
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(PC303)

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**  
File No.F962195  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **ENZO'S PIZZA**, 1501 Fremont Boulevard, Seaside, Ca. 93955.  
**ENZO'S FOOD, INC.** 1501 Fremont Boulevard, Seaside, California, 93955.  
This business is conducted by a corporation.  
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Oct. 1, 1990.  
(s) Vincent Costa, President  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Nov. 21, 1997.  
Publication dates: March 13, 20, 27, April 3, 1997.  
(PC334)

**STATEMENT OF WITHDRAWAL FROM PARTNERSHIP OPERATING UNDER FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME**  
F-950984  
The following person(s) **NANCY STONE, DANIELLE STONE** have withdrawn as a general partner(s) from the partnership operating under the fictitious business name of **AFTER THE FOX & CO.** at 14465 Del Monte Frms. Rd., Castroville, Ca. 95012-9757.  
The fictitious business name statement for the partnership was filed on 5/25/95 in the County of Monterey.  
The full name and residence of the person(s) withdrawing as a partner(s) **Danielle Ashley Stone**, 14465 Del Monte Frms. Rd., Castroville, Ca. 95012 and **Nancy Jo Stone**, 14465 Del Monte Frms. Rd., Castroville, Ca. 95012.  
(s) Nancy Stone  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 21, 1997.  
Publication dates: March 13, 20, 27, April 3, 1997.  
(PC347)

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**  
File No.F970435  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **RASTA SOUND RECORDS**, 247 Terra Dr. Salinas, Ca. 93906.  
**NICHOLAS ARTHUR ROMERO**, 247 Terra Dr., Salinas, Ca. 93906.  
**SIMEON JAMES MARICIO**,

372 Calaveras Dr., Salinas, Ca. 93906.  
This business is conducted by a general partnership.  
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 4/1/97.  
(s) Nicholas A. Romero  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 28, 1997.  
Publication dates: March 27, Apr. 3, 10, 17, 1997.  
(PC376)

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**  
File No.F970552  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **WEBNET MARKETING**, 1072 6th Street, Monterey, Ca. 93940.  
**KENNETH S. KERSH**, 1072 6th Street, Monterey, Ca. 93940.  
This business is conducted by an individual.  
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 3/24/97.  
(s) Kenneth A. Kersh  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Mar. 17, 1997.  
Publication dates: March 27, Apr. 3, 10, 17, 1997.  
(PC377)

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**  
File No.F970458  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **MOEZZI & COMPANY**, 35 Sierra Vista Drive, Monterey Ca. 93940.  
**ALI SINA MOEZZI**, 35 Sierra Vista Dr., Monterey Ca. 93940.  
This business is conducted by an individual.  
(s) Ali Sina Moezzi  
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 3/5/97.  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Mar. 5, 1997.  
Publication dates: March 27, Apr. 3, 10, 17, 1997.  
(PC383)

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**  
File No.F970466  
The following person(s) is (are)

doing business as **OTTER COVE COMPUTING**, 3022 King Circle, Marina Ca. 93933.  
**STEVE M. CARTER**, 3022 King Circle, Marina Ca. 93933.  
This business is conducted by an individual.  
(s) Steve M. Carter  
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1/1/97.  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Mar. 6, 1997.  
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(s) Steve M. Carter  
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**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**  
File No.F970480  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **SAVAGE CONTEMPORARY FINE ART**, P.O. BOX 3932, Dolores St. Between 5th & 6th, Carmel, Ca. 93921.  
**SHAPEMAKERS FINE ART, INC.**, 4210 Calle Bienvenido, San Clemente, Ca. 92673.  
This business is conducted by a corporation.  
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 12/20/96.  
(s) David A. Stephens, Pres.  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Mar. 10, 1997.  
Publication dates: March 27, Apr. 3, 10, 17, 1997.  
(PC375)

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**  
File No.F970133  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **DELPHIC ASSOCIATES**, A Pacific Heights, 1 Lorraine Court, Seaside, Ca. 93955.  
**GHERI SNIDER, Ph.D.**, same as above.  
This business is conducted by an individual.  
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1/21/97.  
(s) Gheri Snider, Ph.D.  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 23, 1997.  
Publication dates: March 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.  
(PC306)

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**  
File No.F970386  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **NUTS TO YOU**, 200 Redwood Rd. Corralitos, Calif. 95076.  
**DAVE ESTEBAN**, 200 Redwood Rd., Corralitos, Calif. 95076.  
This business is conducted by an individual.  
(s) Dave Esteban  
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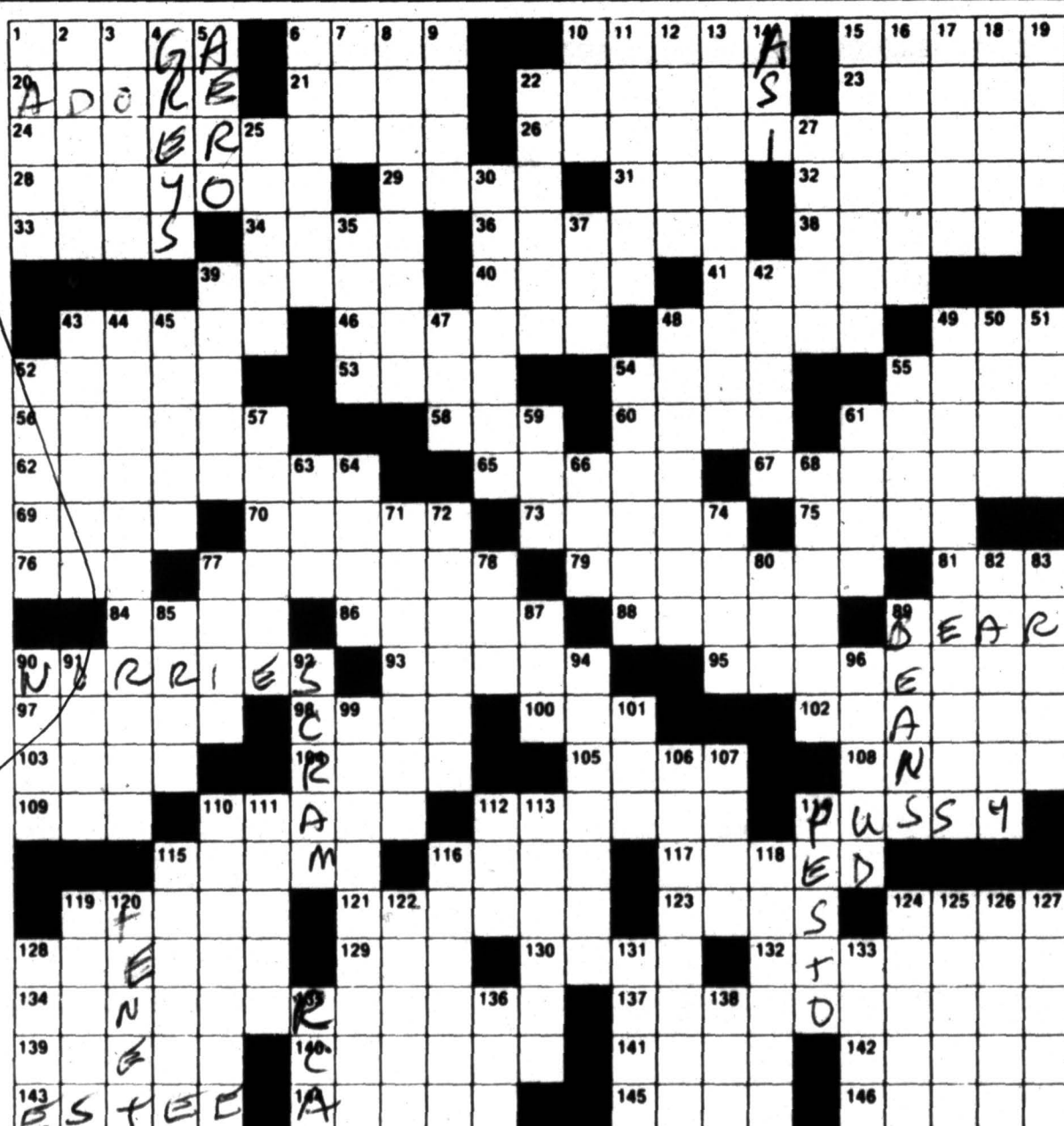
**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT**  
File No.F970381  
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **INNSCAPE**, 128 5th St., Pacific Grove, Ca. 93950.  
**FERNE JANNIS HALGREN**, 128 5th St., Pacific Grove, Ca. 93950.  
This business is conducted by an individual.  
Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Jan. 1, 1997.  
(s) Ferne Jannis Halgren  
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 21, 1997.  
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## APRON STRINGS

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local Indian tribes camped on Point Lobos seasonally. Spanish sailors beating up the California coast hearing the resident seals mistook the sound for wolves and named the area accordingly.

With the establishment of the Carmel Mission in 1770, Point Lobos was used as grazing land for cattle. In the 1850s, several Chinese fishing families moved to what later became Whalers Cove. Shortly after the Chinese arrived, granite was quarried there and shipped out.

The Carmelo Bay Whaling Co. also was based there until 1880 when kerosene replaced whale oil for lamps. Then a low-grade coal was discovered at near by Mal Paso Canyon, which also was loaded aboard ships at Coal Chute Point located at the northern border of Point Lobos.

In the 1890s, 25-by-50-foot lots were offered for sale at \$50 each in proposed Point Lobos City. But the plan faltered when Alexander M. Allan purchased Point Lobos in 1897.

Two years later, he built a narrow gauge railroad from San Jose Beach to Coal Chute Point to transport sand as well as shipping out lumber and gravel. Allan also formed a 30-year partnership with Japanese marine biologist Gennosuke Kodani operating an abalone fishery and cannery down at Whalers Cove.

### On the film set

Hollywood discovered Point Lobos in 1914 and to date 46 movies have been filmed on or near this dramatic headland. During World War II, both the Army and new formed Air Force utilized Point Lobos as an amphibious landing school and radar site.

The State of California purchased Point Lobos for \$631,000 in 1933. In 1960, the ocean surrounding the park was designated the first underwater reserve in the U.S.

Today, more than 330,000 visitors each year enjoy Point Lobos. A fee of \$6 is charged per car to drive in, but walking in is free. There is a 50-cent charge for a map. No dogs are allowed in the park and visitors are requested to picnic in designated areas. Park hours are 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. A daily schedule of guided walks and events is posted at the entrance station. Additional information can be obtained by calling 624-8413.

The Sunday morning of Michelle's visit a group of us parked off Highway 1 and walked in on the South Plateau Trail. Others drove to the picnic tables adjacent to Bird Island Trail with the breakfast goodies.

The array was five-star hot coffee in thermoses, Odwalla tangerine and apple juices, fresh bagels and cream cheese with an assortment of spreads including lox, homemade apricot jam, hummus, sliced tomatoes and the following all laid out on a lace tablecloth with accompanying linen napkins.

### Caponata

The first time I had caponata was at Medway Plantation in South Carolina, where it was served in a silver bowl as the dip for a tray of raw veggies.

- 1 4 1/4 oz. can of chopped olives
- 2 tbsp. anchovy paste
- 1 tbsp. olive oil

I've never been very successful at melding these ingredients in a blender. Instead, I just chop the olives a bit finer in my mother's old wooden bowl with its chopper. But then again I use a clothes line rather than one of those newfangled inventions, an electric drier, so do what you must to render the ingredients into a course paste.

But our favorite bagel topper that morning was my goddaughter Lucia Neare's, a graduate of both River and Middle School. It was a chutney that she learned during her junior year abroad in India while she was attending Mount Holyoke College.

### Tomato and Apricot Chutney

- 1 lb. Roma tomatoes, chopped
- 1 cup dried apricots, finely chopped
- 2 tbsp. fresh ginger, minced
- 6-8 cloves garlic, minced
- One-half cup white sugar
- 1 tsp. each mustard and cumin seeds
- One-half tsp. each fennel and fenugreek seeds
- 2-3 tbsp. vegetable oil
- 1-2 tsp. salt

Pour oil into large skillet and when oil is hot, sauté all seeds just long enough for the mustard seeds to start popping. Stir in garlic and ginger. Then add tomatoes, sugar, salt and finally apricots. Reduce heat and simmer 20 to 30 minutes, stirring occasionally. Cool before serving.

■ 'Apron String,' written by Carmel resident Deborah Smith, appears twice monthly in Peninsula.

## CLASSICAL MUSIC

# Family affair nets a standing ovation

## ■ Chamber Ensemble & Recital series

By LYN BRONSON

THE MONTEREY County Symphony's most recent concert in its Chamber Ensemble and Recital series proved to be a family affair. It was an extension, you might say, of the Monterey County Symphony Orchestra's latest concert since it featured Oxanna Yablonskaya, her cellist son Dimitry Yablonsky and her violinist daughter-in-law, Jean Yablonsky.

There was a difference, however. It was not a concert to this time, but an intimate evening of chamber music last Thursday at Sunset Center in Carmel.

There were only two works on the evening's program. The first was the Schubert Piano Trio in E-flat Major, Op. 100. In this Trio, the Yablonskys were impressive, indeed.

Most of our previous acquaintance with Oxanna Yablonskaya has been with Oxanna Yablonskaya the Russian virtuoso, and not the poetic pianist. In her Schubert playing, we heard another side of her artistry.

Here was sensitive, heart-felt playing that strove to bring out the inner beauty of the score. Virtuosity itself was transcended, and her prodigious technique never interfered with the music.

Her son, Dimitry, demonstrated once again that he is a fine musician. His lovely rich tone permeated Sunset Center with a volume that belied its critics' claims of faulty acoustics. His sensitively shaped phrases and command of his instrument were awesome.

Violinist Jean Yablonsky was a valuable partner in the trio, always exhibiting a fine sense of ensemble, technical command and superb musicianship.

### Treat in store

But the best was yet to come.

After intermission, we were treated to the

Shostakovich Piano Trio No. 2 in E Minor, Op. 67. And this was a collaboration made in heaven. The Yablonskys were absolutely fantastic! This was a level of playing you rarely hear in live performances.

Dimitry Yablonsky's eerie cello harmonics, which began the piece, were a stunning effect. The third movement with Jean Yablonsky's lovely violin solo against the somber chords in the piano contributed to create a moving elegy.

The final movement contained so much vitality and genuine excitement it wound up the work with such enthusiasm that the audience burst into a rousing standing ovation.

Lyn Bronson is a graduate of Yale University and the Yale University School of Music. He and his wife present concerts at Sunset Theater in Carmel under the auspices of the Keyboard Artist Series.

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# Arriola, Ketcham, Dedini still providing laughs

*Cartoonists treat MPC audience to reflections on respected careers*

GENTRAIN VICE President Kurt Hartman introduced nationally known cartoonists Gus Arriola, Hank Ketcham and Eldon Dedini as Leonardo DaVinci, Michelangelo and Peter Paul Rubens.

Then, Hartman jokingly added that he should call them Chico, Harpo and Groucho, or the Three Stooges, because of the humor they use when depicting their lives.



The scene unfolded in front of a capacity-filled lecture hall Wednesday, March 19 at Monterey Peninsula College.

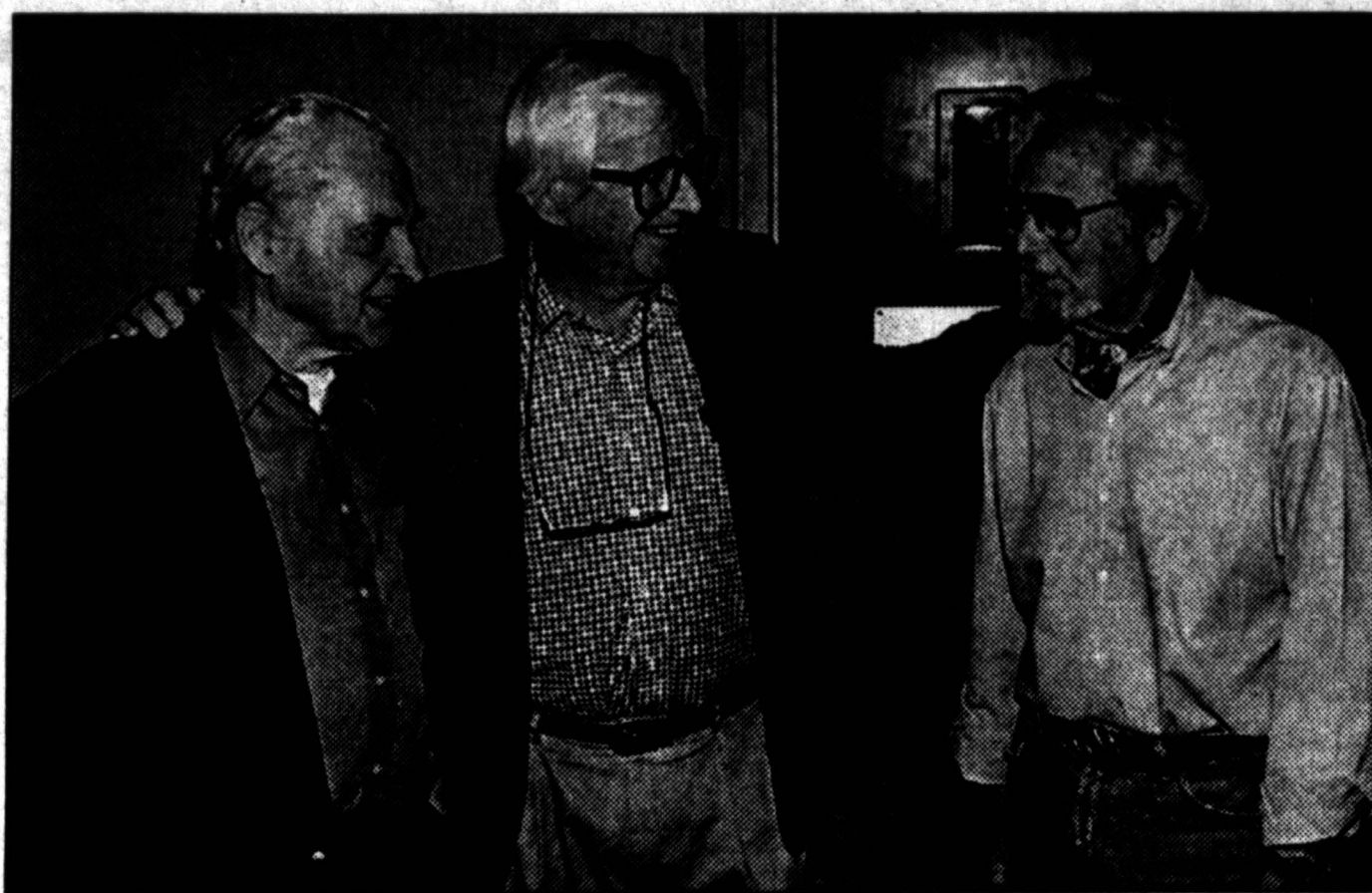
All three cartoonists, who reside on the Peninsula, started their careers drawing cartoons at Disney Studios in Los Angeles.

## Social Spotlight

By Dodie Barkley

Ketcham, who is famous for his "Dennis the Menace" panel, got an early start while serving in the Navy. He penned a Navy character called "Half-hitch," who decidedly resembled him.

Arriola, whose comic strip "Gordo" featured a plump, girl-crazy male, was the



Good friends and cartoonists Eldon Dedini, Hank Ketcham and Gus Arriola enjoy a reunion at the Gentrain Society's packed-to-capacity hall Wednesday, March 19 at Monterey Peninsula College.

and Sunday comic strip of "Dennis," Ketcham has gone into oils and water colors and has a one-man show of his paintings scheduled at the Fact Gallery in Laguna Beach, starting April 5.

The cartoonists fielded questions from the audience with great humor. When one man asked Arriola, "How do the editors feel about your work?," the cartoonist had the audience in stitches, answering, "Oh, they either like it or they throw it out."

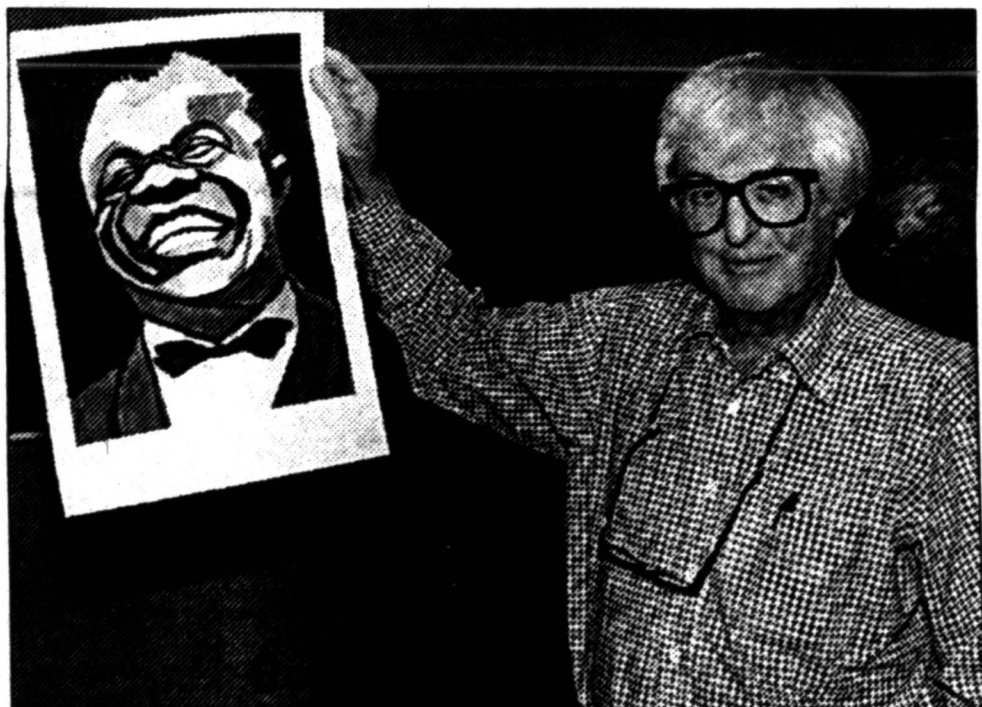
It is always great fun to cover any

club for presenting an intriguing, exceptionally interesting fashion show called "Wearable Art," Monday, March 17 at its club in Carmel! All of us amateurs wanted to rush home to try to create something as extraordinary as what was shown.

White and green carnations with eucalyptus and tiny California ivy adorned the tables as we dined on a light and nutritious lunch, while two savvy gents, Bill Thompson and Dick Morrall, served libations at each table with gentle charm and good humor.

President Jane Waner then thanked her committee women and especially Ginny Morrall for arranging the event; then models from the Monterey County Chapter of the American Sewing Guild, lead by President Betty Bloomer, sashayed among the tables in clothes they had created, designed and sewn together from literally hundreds of different squares, triangles and other shapes.

I counted at least 70 different pieces of material on one jacket, at least 25 add-ons attached to the lapels and many different types of silken threads, buttons and other



Hank Ketcham holds up a painting of jazz musician Louie Armstrong which he will be exhibiting in Laguna Beach next month. Ketcham was one of the cartoonists who addressed the Gentrain Society at MPC.

first cartoonist to draw Mexican-American characters. He created about 12,000 daily comics and 2,800 Sunday strips for more than 40 years.

At one point in the lecture, Arriola produced an ancient, full-page copy of a comic strip and compared it with today's comic strips that are minuscule. Arriola, now retired but active with the Carmel Public Library Foundation fund-raising campaigns, said that the scaled-down cartoons are a big frustration to the cartoonists of today.

Dedini admitted that he, too, never liked his work in newspapers. He draws full-page cartoons for The New Yorker, Esquire and Playboy magazines. During his Disney Studio days, he used to draw story boards — a series of drawings in sequence to show the cameraman how the animated film will look.

All but Arriola still publish their cartoons, and all three are the best of friends. Ketcham, who made the audience laugh throughout his speech, noted that he usually hires other people to help him with ideas.

Besides supervising the daily drawing

Dodie Barkley's 'Social Spotlight' column appears every week in Peninsula. If you have news of social activities, contact Dodie at 626-0514 or write to her in care of Peninsula, P.O. Box G-1, Carmel 93921.

event involving these bigger-than-life cartoonists because you never know what they'll say or do next!

## Wearable Art fashion show at Carmel Woman's Club glows!

Let's hear it for the Carmel Woman's



Jean Waner, president, Carmel Woman's Club; Betty Bloomer, president, American Sewing Guild, Monterey County Chapter; and Bernice Imlay, committee member, hold some of the wearable art at the March 17 fashion show in Carmel.

CHUCK SCARDINA  
PHOTOS

original art sewn across the jacket.

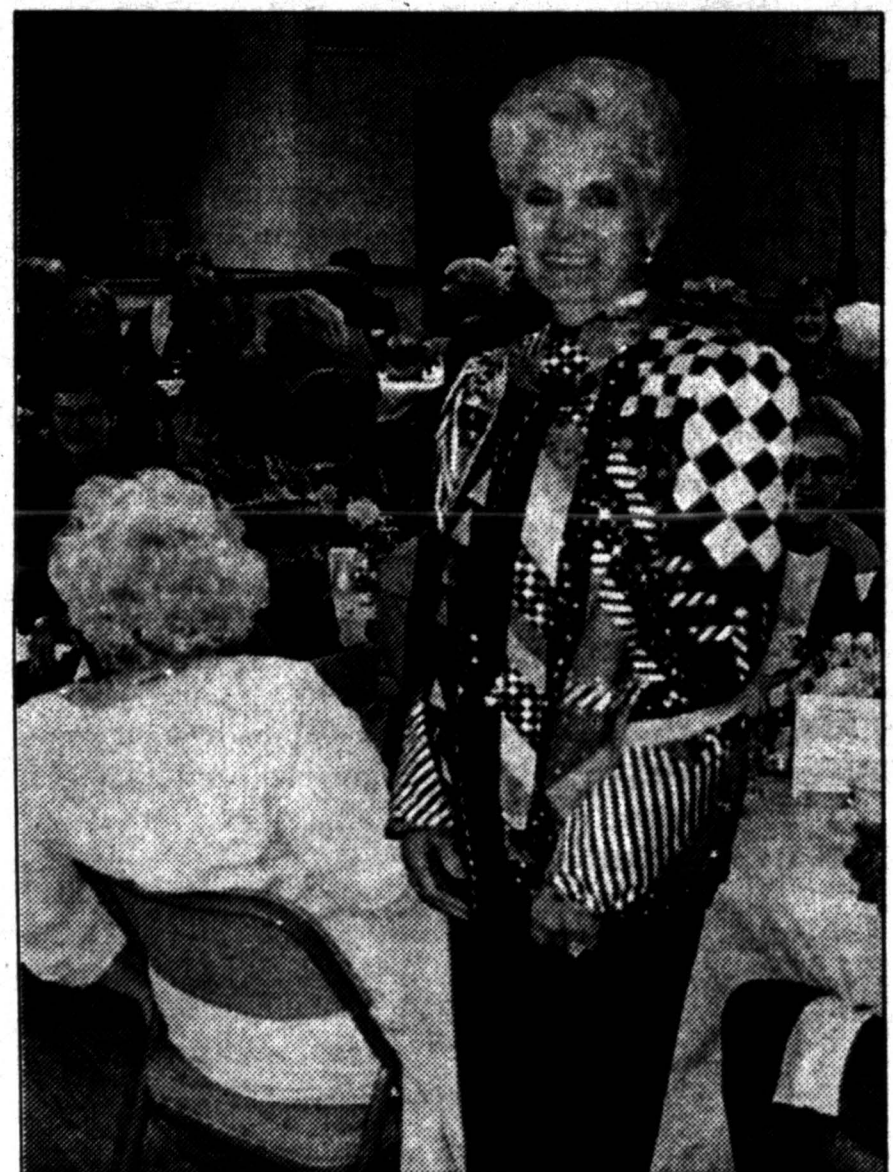
I believe that most of us were thinking of how great it would be, just for once, to own an original outfit like one of those. Indeed, several members purchased the moderately priced, artistically colored jackets and vests, right there on the spot.

Bloomer told members that if they wish to join the Guild, her phone number is in the Salinas part of the telephone book. Her phone must be ringing off the hook by now. Great show!

## Renovated Covey restaurant opens at Quail Lodge

Add another star to the perennial Five-Star hotel (20 years), and write the name down in your record book of places you just have to visit — The Covey restaurant at Quail Lodge in Carmel Valley.

President and Founder Ed Haber and his wife, Terry, renovated The Covey (Four-Star) restaurant, "revitalized" the menu and invited members of the press to



Marge Cox, member of the American Sewing Guild, Monterey County Chapter, models this self-designed gorgeous creation, which consisted of more than 80 pieces of material. The fashion show was held Monday, Mar. 17 at the Carmel Woman's Club.

the opening. The ambience remains simple but elegant, while the room has been opened up and lightened with a warm beige-white color, new carpets and tableware.

Pewter candelabras lit at the table ends and a huge array of luscious valley flowers at the center of the table, gave the room a magnificent old-world charm hard to match anywhere. The white, black and gold plates only served to enhance that vision — indescribably lovely!

"Look at these chairs — one continuous piece of carved wood!" Haber exclaimed to me. I looked, and indeed, the chairs had been carved from a single piece of wood with no interruption.

I asked Haber, "Who designed them?" "My wife, Terry," he replied.

What creations!

We were served a sublime meal from Executive Chef Robert Williamson's kitchen. The chilled coconut curry bisque with prawn and almond relish was delicious, with just the right amount of curry.

Sauteed veal sweetbreads, roast loin of elk and butternut squash lasagna seduced

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## SOCIAL EVENTS



Michael Hoffmann, Quail Lodge GM; Ed Haber, Quail Lodge founder and president; and Gary Ibsen, publisher of Adventures in Dining, pose in front of chairs that were carved from one piece of wood at the reopening of the Covey restaurant Tuesday, March 18.

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the taste buds. The piece de resistance was the deliciously light mixed berries au gratin and Sabayon for dessert.

The dinner was served with wonderful Talbott Chardonnay and Jekel Pinot Noir wines, vintage 1994.

This was a most remarkable feast with excellent waiters serving your every need.

Our table featured several media types as well as Peter J. Hoehn, food and beverage manager for The Covey, and Michael Hoffman, general manager at Quail Lodge. Thamin Saleh, new Covey manager, was nearby to assure that everything would run smoothly.

My husband and I invited 10 people to our 35th wedding anniversary at The Covey restaurant in 1994. Try it. It's a once-in-a-lifetime, high quality, romantic moment you'll never forget!

### ■ Alliance on Aging puts on "A Celebrity of Age" at the Hyatt

When Masters of Ceremonies Jean Mahoney and Arnold Green introduced Alliance on Aging's second annual fashion show, "A Celebration of Age," Friday, March 22 at the Hyatt Regency Monterey's Grand Ballroom, laughter of a geriatric nature filled the hall.

Charlotte Brier (89 years young) came out in a bathrobe with curlers in her hair. Accompanying her was Jack Edson, also in a robe. They both sat down at a table on the



Charlotte Brier, a mere 89 years old, danced and sang at the Alliance on Aging's "A Celebration of Age" fashion show Saturday, March 22 at the Hyatt Regency Monterey.

stage. Suddenly we heard Harry Belafonte's marvelous rendition of "Day-O," and just as suddenly, Brier got up and danced a combination hula/tango to the song.



Truckin' on down the platform are models Alliance on Aging Auxiliary President Jack Blackmore and Vice President June LaMantia. They wowed the audience at the AOA's "A Celebration of Age" fashion show March 21 in the Hyatt Regency Monterey's Grand Ballroom.

At the end of "Day-O," Brier sang, "They try to tell us we're too old, but with Geritol we're not too old at all." She was an adorable dancer/singer and perhaps the networks will be calling her soon if the applause she received is any indication of her talent.

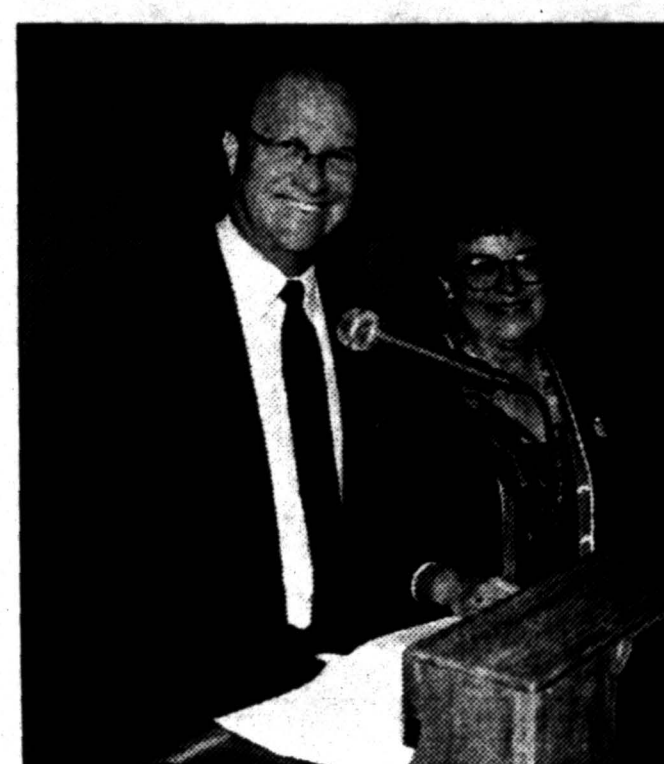
Event chair Ann C. St. Pierre and her committee produced a fashion show of beautiful gals and good-looking guys who modeled clothes from Labels, The Quail and Thistle, Westwinds, Dick Bruhn and The Clothing Store.

All of them danced, acted and flirted with the audience. When beautiful Jean Hurd came down the runway in a gorgeous black evening gown, everyone whistled.

I heard someone whisper, "Jean could have made it in Hollywood." Pretty June LaMantia is a natural comedian and actress. I believe that she, too, could have made it in Hollywood.

The silent and live auctions bids came in quickly and then drawings were held for 16 prizes which were donated from Peninsula merchants.

All of the proceeds benefited the Alliance's programs for seniors, including counseling, information and referral,



Scott Bray, president of the Alliance on Aging board of directors, and Ann St. Pierre, chair of the AOA's "A Celebration of Age" fashion show, were the bright faces greeting guests.

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It's going to be a real challenge to next year's committee to outdo the fabulously funny, wonderful show I saw Saturday night.

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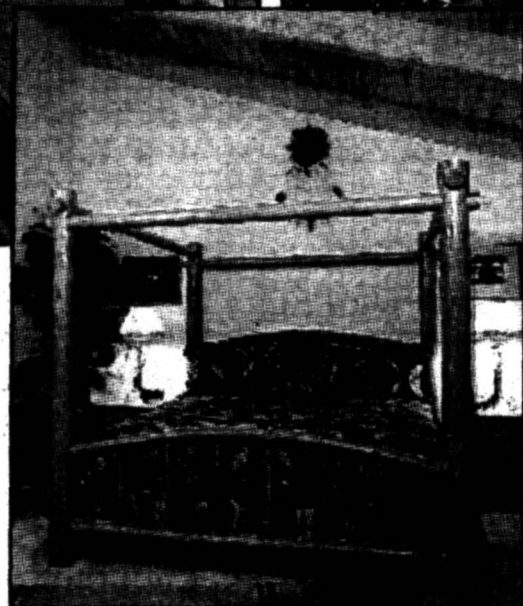
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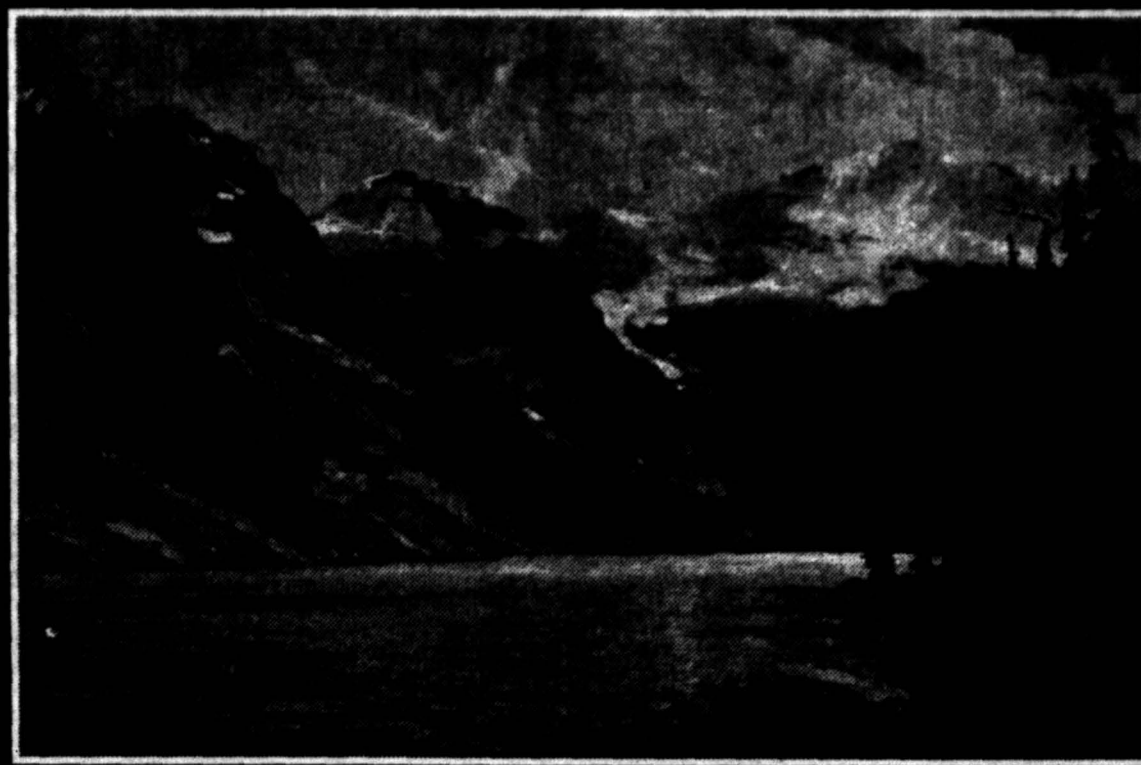
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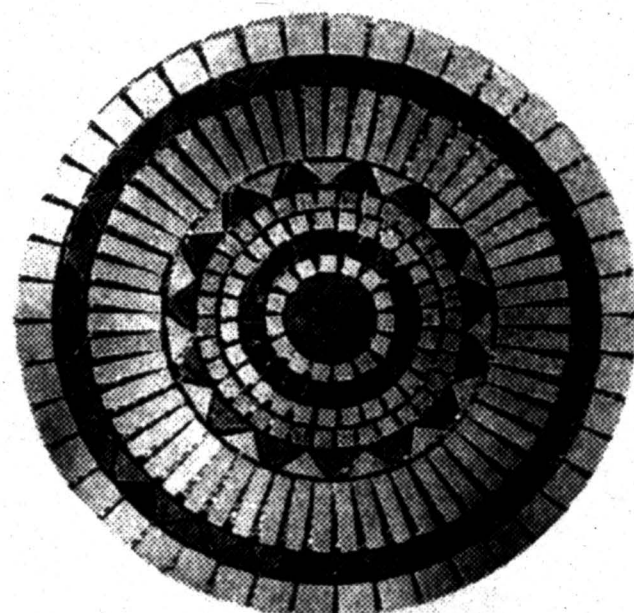
A WORLD of lasting beauty is within reach when you visit **Carmel Tile & Marble Company**. This designer showroom at 26382 Carmel Rancho Lane works with clients to bring a timeless, understated look to home or office.

"Tile and stone are permanent and so the installation has to be beautiful," explains James Harris, owner. He and his staff are qualified to make suggestions for use of the time-tested materials available here: limestone, marble, granite, travertine, sandstone and slate in all their forms, including moldings.

The tile selection comes from international sources, and many varieties are made by hand.

"We have the means to design a unique look that the client will appreciate for many years," Harris adds. His expertise is such, he is familiar with the practical application of stone and tile, and is able to guide clients in choosing materials that will look and work well in the desired setting.

Coming to Carmel Tile & Marble is a



A selection of tiles from international sources is showcased at Carmel Tile & Marble.

collection of fabrics presented by Susan Cimoli. These rich, top-quality fabrics can be employed in upholstery, drapes and other ways.

Carmel Tile & Marble is located next to First National Bank on Carmel Rancho Lane. To learn more, call 625-6216.

## Monterey Mattress Company markets a good night's sleep

AT MONTEREY Mattress Company, customers are encouraged to comparison-shop. The staff is so confident about their products and service, they're certain they'll see you back.

"We give tips on shopping if you're looking for beds," explains Dale Gingerich, owner. "We invite comparison. Come in and see what we have."

The Monterey Mattress Company line is manufactured right here on the Monterey Peninsula. The showroom is at 26362 Carmel Rancho Lane, near the entrance to the Barnyard, Carmel. The factory is at 701 Redwood Ave. in Sand City. Beds can be seen and purchased at both locations.

Because there are no middlemen to contend with, prices are kept low and quality is high. Many of the top hotels in the region feature beds made by the Monterey Mattress Company. It offers a full selection of sizes and styles, and that elusive commodity: service.

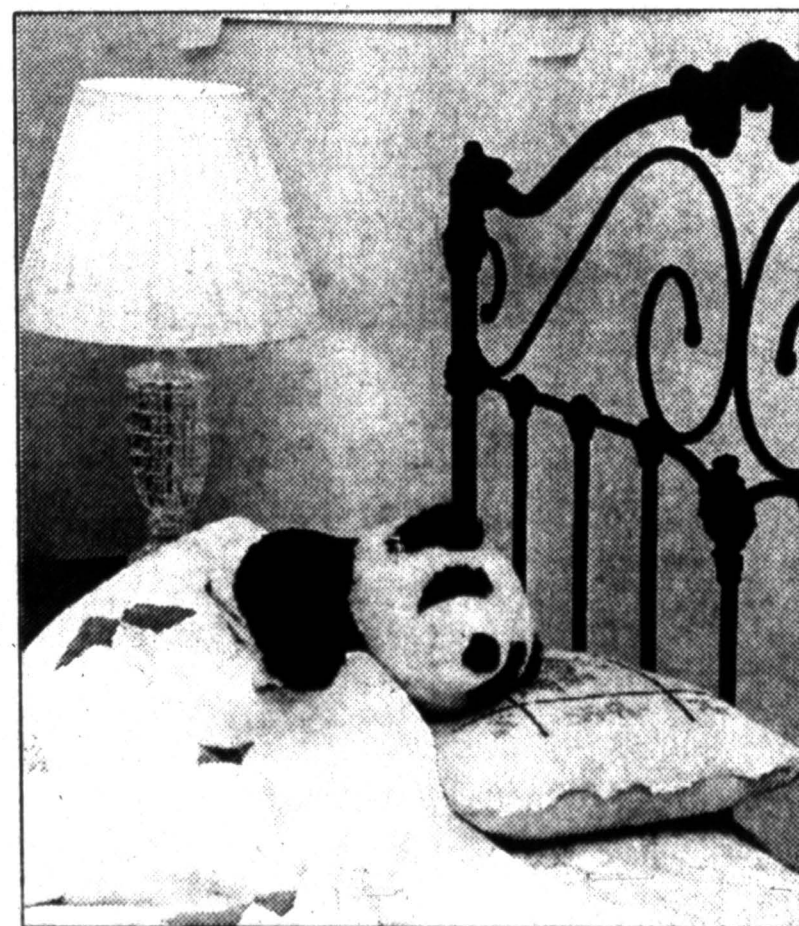
"We deliver free of charge within a 30-mile radius," Gingerich says. There is a charge for deliveries beyond.

In addition, the company will custom build mattresses to your size and specifications. Equip your home, boat or RV with mat-

tresses of just the size and firmness that you prefer.

"People think if we do all this, we must be terribly expensive. That's just not true," Gingerich adds.

The Carmel showroom is open 10 to 5 Monday through Saturday; call 625-9911. In Sand City, the factory is open 8 to 5 Monday through Friday and Saturday from 10 until 5; call 899-5464.



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- Bring it to the "Drop and Swap," the Household Hazardous Waste Collection Program at the Monterey Peninsula Landfill (14201 Del Monte Blvd., 2 miles north of Marina). Open Mon. through Sat., 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Households may drop off materials for free! Businesses MUST call for pre-approval.

**Questions? Call the Monterey Regional Waste Management District 384-5313**

This Household Hazardous Waste Collection Event made possible, in part, from a grant from the California Integrated Waste Management Board



## Some residents qualify for Proposition 90 exemption

PROPOSITION 90 provides for the inter county transfer of the assessed value of a principal residence. Although approved by voters in California in 1988, participation was left to the discretion of each county.

**Realtor Link**

By Jeanette Menter

In April 1996, the Board of Supervisors voted to allow this exemption in Monterey County. Following is a brief description of Prop

- Base year assessment value of the original residence may only be transferred to a replacement dwelling of equal or lesser value
  - Replacement dwelling must be purchased/built within two years of the sale of the original property
  - Property owner may only take advantage of Proposition 90 exemption once in a lifetime
  - Application for the Prop. 90 exemption is required at the Monterey County Assessor's office; processing fee is \$350
- This information is provided by the Monterey County Association of Realtors. For details, talk to your real estate agent.

■ If you have news for 'Realtor Link' or desire information about advertising in The Carmel Pine Cone's real estate section, please give Jeanette Menter a call at 624-0162. 'Realtor Link' appears on an occasional basis in The Pine Cone.

90.

- Property owners must be 55 years of age or older
- Original and replacement property must be a principal residence

## Robertson's Antiques: Purveyor of our cultural history

SELLERS AND COLLECTORS of decorative treasures will do well to visit Robertson's Antiques. This Carmel shop is hard to miss with its four large display windows on Seventh Avenue and two entrances, one on Seventh and one on Dolores. Look for the building with the burgundy and white striped awnings.

Owner Nick Robertson is always interested in purchasing fine quality antiques and encourages locals to contact him if they have items to sell.

"Most people associate antiques with furniture," he says. "I'm looking more for decorative accessories. I buy outright which eliminates, for many people, the hassles of consignment or auction. People know what they'll get up-front rather than putting items on consignment and waiting for them to sell."

He's especially interested in buying decorative objects, such as good quality porcelain figurines, art pottery, lamps of all kinds, paintings and bronzes.

Robertson's shop showcases fine furniture, dishes, glassware and silver dating from the 18th century up to the first quarter of the 20th.

Visitors will also see unique lighting fixtures dating from the early 1900s, plus china, glassware and Oriental antiques.

Says Robertson, "To know the history of a certain era or style is to know something about the people who lived with the object when it was new. That is the fascination with antiques: the workmanship and materials used were often outstanding — especially by today's standards. Each era in history is important in its own way."

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## Flower lovers in-the-know depend on Flowers Ltd.

THE HEADY SCENT of fresh flowers is its own drawing card at **Flowers Ltd.** This delightful shop at 26344 Carmel Rancho Lane has devotees as far away as Europe. Co-owners Anne Patrick and Robt Reinkens shipped flowers to a wedding party in Switzerland. And they are regularly called upon to design for local weddings, parties and corporate events.

Anne Patrick's knowledge of flower arrangement is so highly regarded that she lectures on the subject at Filoli, the National Trust mansion in Woodside, and other prestigious venues. She specializes in a look that, be it English or tropical, looks as though it grew that way naturally.

Their shop is a sensory feast of orchids, cut flowers, foliage and decorative pots and baskets. Robert has created a line of decoratively painted and decoupaged pots that is being requested by other retailers. See the entire collection at Flowers Ltd.

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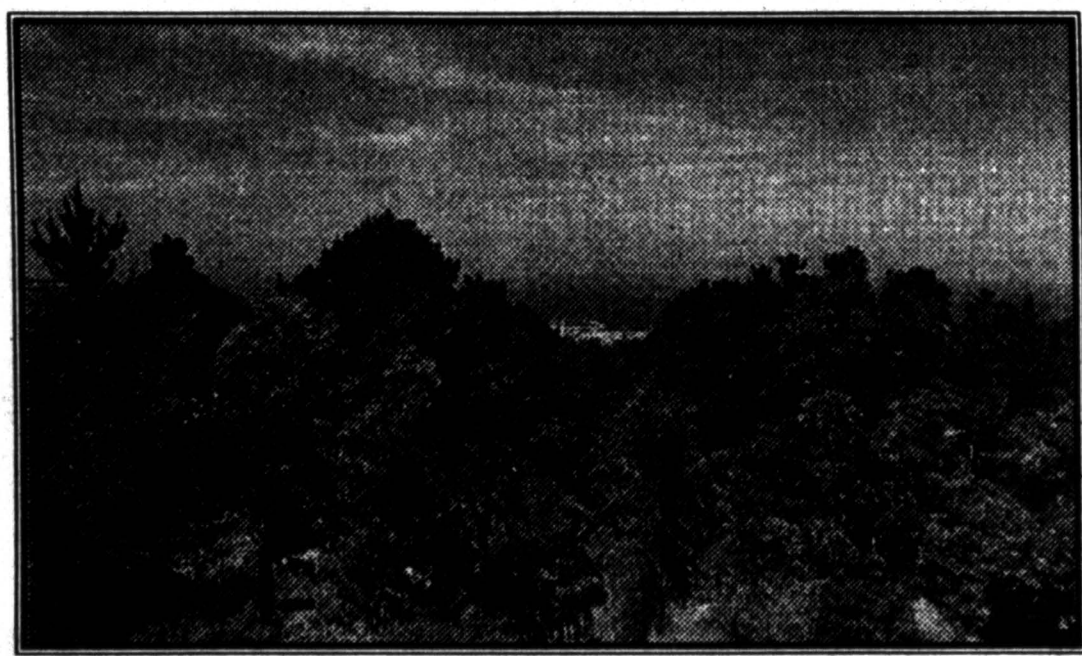


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remember that Reinkens and Patrick are flower experts who can create an exquisite arrangement, even from your order made by telephone. Call 625-2404.

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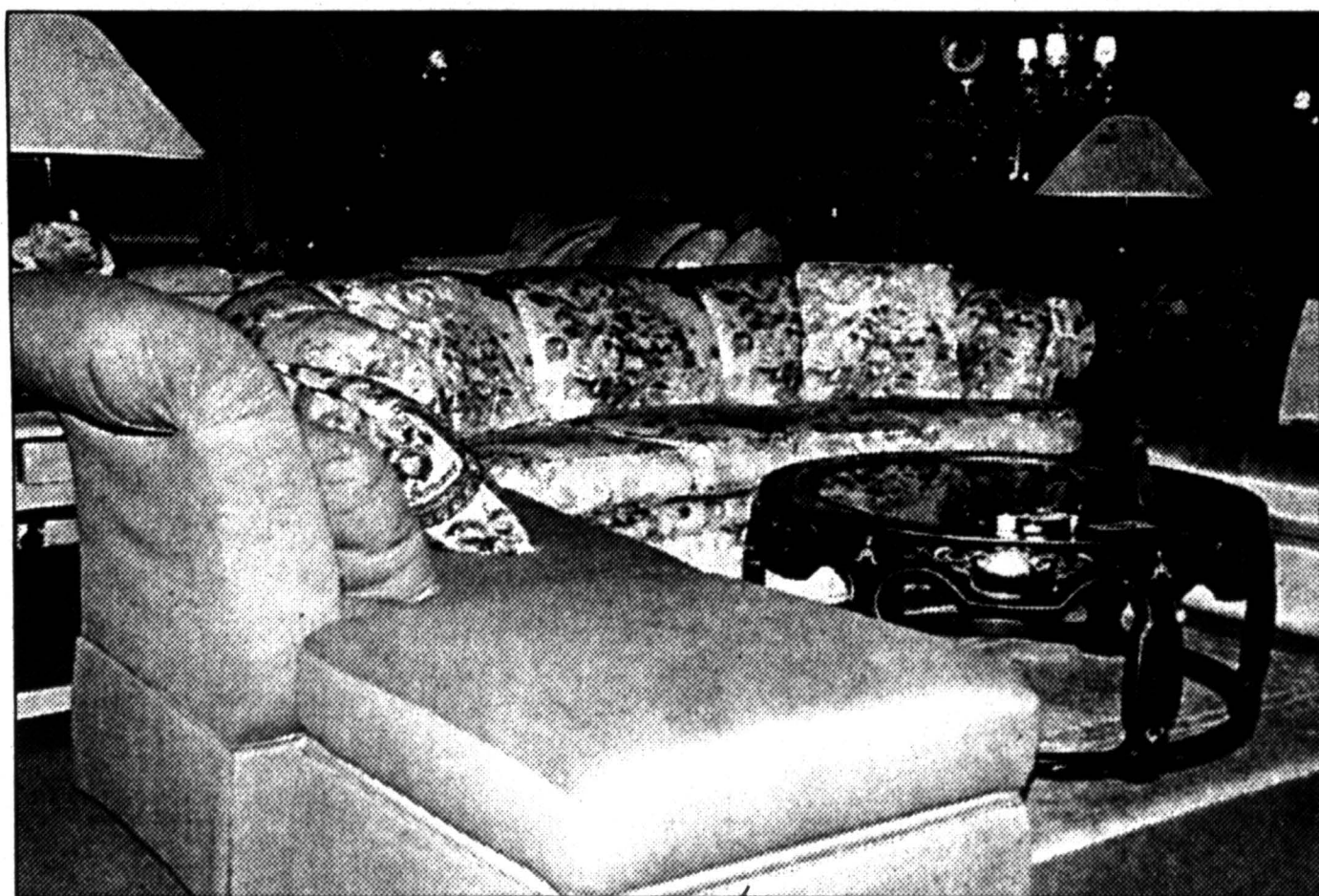
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Downsizing or remodeling or just want a change? Patrick's can sell your no-longer-needed items and put money in your pocket. They do all the work and you avoid the home sale hassle. Do call 372-3995 any weekday morning between 9 and 10 for consignment information and preview appointments.

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## PineCone Property Management spares clients headaches of renting

TO RENT and manage your own rental property appears to be a simple undertaking. One can simply place an ad in the newspaper, find a renter, write a lease and relax while you collect the rent each month.

Many owners have discovered, however, that managing rental property is not such an easy task. If you are tired of the hassle, the frustration, work, time involved, bookkeeping and perhaps legal entanglements, you should consider placing your property in the care of a professional property manager.

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If you are a property owner who is considering professional management that will truly provide the special care you want for your property, you will be pleased with the services PineCone Property Management can provide you.

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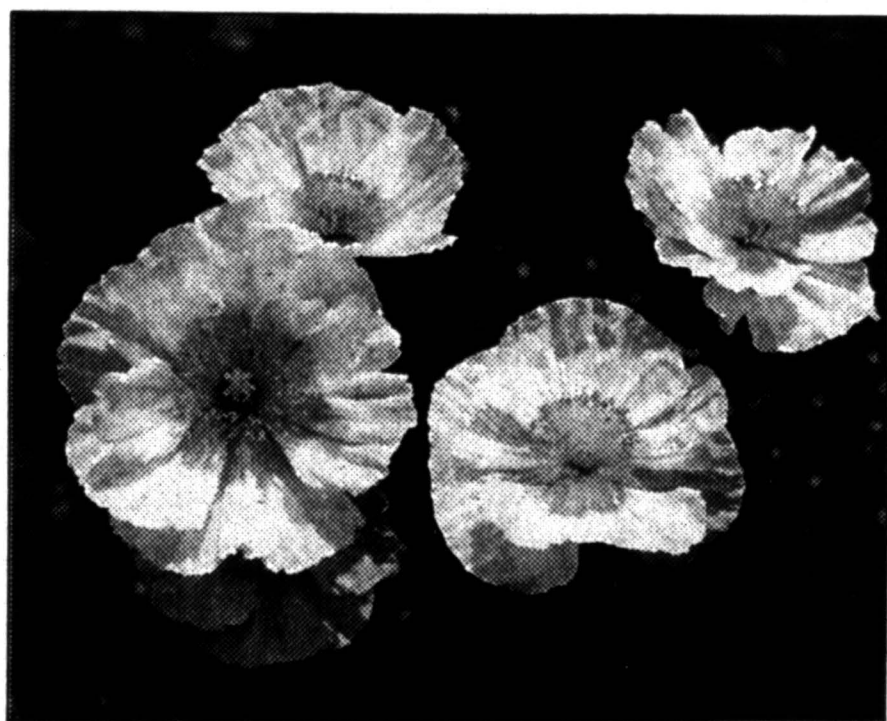
## The Barnyard readies its second 'Garden Affair'

IT'S IMPOSSIBLE to picture The Barnyard without seeing the gardens that meander upstairs and down, flower heads bobbing between brick walkways, colors seasonally changing. And it is especially fitting that this shopping village presents its second annual "Garden Affair," which arrives 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, April 26.

View the Barnyard gardens at their height and gain inspiration for your own. This year's theme is "Cutting Garden Designs." Cutting gardens will be showcased by Barnyard horticulturist Margo Grych, as well as local gardeners and master gardeners.

Throughout the Garden Affair, Barnyard restaurants will present tempting samples of their best dishes. The Barnyard is home to 40 shops and eight international restaurants. Bon appetit!

The Barnyard Community Room will host discussions with gardening experts, comedic "Murtha" Stewart among them. Steve Goodman and Friends will perform music, and the entire Barnyard will



The Barnyard Shopping Village, celebrating its 21st year, is located off Highway 1 and Carmel Valley Road, Carmel.

come alive with displays of Ikebana, composting, water gardens and koi ponds, succulent gardening and more.

Admission to the Garden Affair is \$5, with partial proceeds to benefit the University of California Master Gardener Program.

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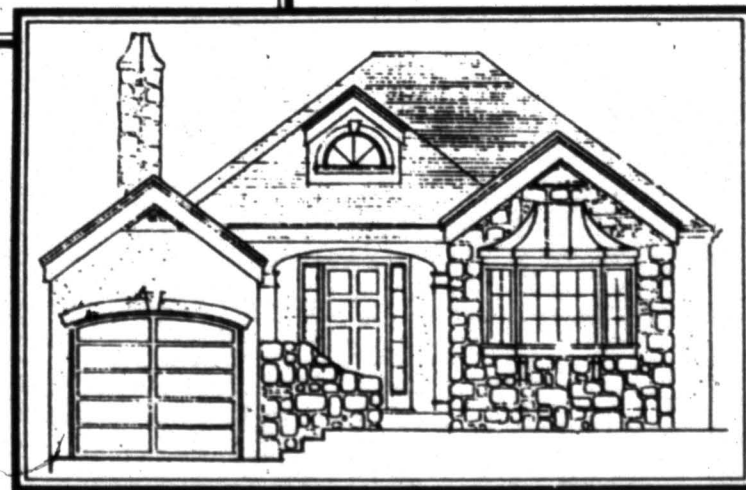
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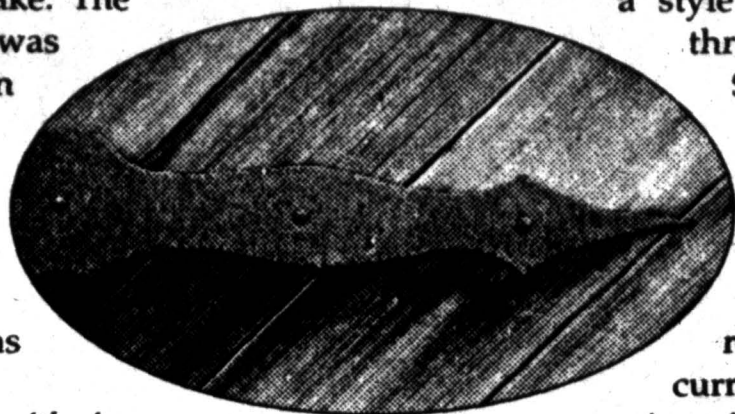
# Carmel real estate: Ever desirable, usually pricey

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moving it to another location. Apart from its age of 90 years, the unusual thing about the house was its construction. The walls were made entirely of side-by-side, wood paneled doors, shipped down from San Francisco after the 1906 earthquake. The "House of Doors" on Lincoln was eventually saved from demolition last year by the Carmel Preservation Foundation. The organization arranged to have the cottage moved to a new site on Mission between Alta and Vista, where it will be showcased as part of a new dwelling.

Some buyers are not concerned with size, location or type of construction. Their homing instincts stir when a house once lived in by a Carmel notable, such as Mary Austin, Sinclair Lewis, Charles Sumner Greene or Perry Newberry, comes on the market.

However, many of Carmel's historically significant cottages run the risk of alterations when they are thrown



*'Nice, six room cottage in Carmel; about four blocks from the Pine Inn; three blocks from the beach facing the bay. Price: \$2,500. Mortgage \$1,000. Will trade equity for land or vacant lots.'*

FROM 1915 ISSUE OF THE CARMEL PINE CONE

into the local real estate arena. Each time they change hands some dedicated historic preservationist worries, "Will the remodel destroy the historic fabric?" Buyers can become somewhat frustrated by having to grapple with the myriad challenges inherent in homes built over 50 years ago. Comfort and rationalization enter into the remodel equation, not to mention obtaining water credits. Ultimately, a compromise is reached to increase square footage, update wiring and plumbing, and often foundations. Hidden among the changes, architectural integrity struggles to survive, if only as a footnote in the thread of history.

Of course, not everyone looking for property around Carmel is necessarily attracted to an historic cottage. It

■ Kathryn Gualtieri, a free-lance writer with homes in Carmel and Aptos, is a frequent contributor to *The Pine Cone*.

might "make your day" to settle for something a bit newer, say the house on San Antonio once lived in by Carmel's most famous mayor. It was recently advertised for sale in the \$400,000 range.

Then again, one could be seduced by a contemporary Comstock replica in the "Hänsel and Gretel" mode, a style that is currently mushrooming throughout the village for about \$725,000 to \$900,000. Too bad local builder Hugh Comstock didn't have a patent on his design. He initiated and popularized the unique style in the 1920s and '30s. His signature rolled shingle roof is a common characteristic that current builders have copied.

An original Comstock residence happens to be on the market at the corner of Sixth and Santa Fe. Comstock built it in 1927 as his studio for \$1,200. Ten years later he expanded it to its present size. Today's asking price is \$695,000.

If one had been lucky enough to have lived here in the early 1900s, a 40-by-100 foot lot could have been bought from the Carmel Development Company for the tidy sum of \$100. A similarly sized village lot today is valued at anywhere from \$250,000 to \$350,000. Little did Oakland businessman James Franklin Devendorf and attorney Frank Powers realize what would evolve in Carmel from their original development plan for tent cabins and vacation homes.

By 1911 their company advertised the entire village as "beach property, midst a pine forest, near historic surroundings, with neighbors of genial, sympathetic character, devoted to nature and her beauties."

William L. Overstreet, publisher of Carmel's first newspaper, was both civic-minded and pro-growth. Through editorials in his Carmel Pine Cone, he heavily promoted Carmel's attractiveness.

In the inaugural issue of the Pine Cone on Feb. 3, 1915, the following advertisement appeared: "For information concerning property in and about Carmel, contact the Carmel Development Company."

In the July 21 issue, Overstreet reported that: "\$500 will buy a nice little home in Carmel, with a garden and trees." Another option was a "Nice, six room cottage in Carmel; about four blocks from the Pine Inn; three blocks from the beach facing the bay. Price: \$2,500. Mortgage \$1,000. Will trade equity for land or vacant lots."

As reasonable as those prices seem, not everyone could afford to purchase real estate. It was much cheaper to rent. In 1915 a four room cottage with bath went for \$10 to \$15 a month. Overstreet encouraged his readers



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CHRISTOPHER HULSE



to: "List your properties with the Pine Cone's Real Estate and Renting Bureau." In those days the newspaper served as Carmel's first real estate clearinghouse.

Buyers today have a multitude of ways to help them find their Carmel dream homes. Classified ads, agent listings, weekend open houses and pictures on the Internet, now carry on the selling job that early developers and Overstreet originated at the turn of the century.

While the buyer's choice in Carmel may be tantalizingly attractive, housing here transcends affordability. Two homes on Camino Real recently sold for \$888,000 and \$825,000. Another residence on Monte Verde went for \$682,000. After almost a century of property sales in Carmel, prices continue to spiral upward.

## Big Sur Heavy Metal creates custom architectural elements

ARTISTS, ARCHITECTS and art lovers alike turn to Big Sur Heavy Metal for original metal sculptures and architectural elements. Tim Botonis is the president/owner of this studio, located at 718 Redwood Ave. in Sand City.

Its services are many. Big Sur Heavy Metal translates designs into finished reality for many leading architects and artists. The owner is also an artist who accepts commissions for metal sculpture and items of architectural interest.

"I'll go into a home that needs a fireplace mantel, and then will design a piece to fit their decor. Some designs are abstract, some are straightforward. The finished look depends on the taste of the clients," Botonis explains.

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## Realtor John Kenny knows the Monterey Peninsula in-depth

**JOHN KENNY** is a long-time Carmel resident who knows this region in-depth. He is also a Realtor who pursued two distinct, yet complementary careers, before entering the field of real estate in 1978.

"I moved here in the 1960s with my family from New York," he explains. "My father bought the Colonial Terrace Inn, so I grew up in Carmel, basically."

John was awarded a Universal Studios

acting scholarship and was profiled in the Carmel Pine Cone before moving to Los Angeles, where he was put under contract. His acting work included a role on a popular soap opera.

From the world of entertainment, he moved to art and business, running art galleries in Carmel, San Francisco and Hawaii.

He received his Realtor's license in 1978, and finds that his other careers assist him in his present milieu.

"Theater proved a bridge to communicating with clients, while art has helped me assess the aesthetics of a home."

John Kenny is associated with the Mitchell Group, 200 Clocktower Place, Suite 200-D, Carmel. Last year he received the John Leo Award for outstanding sales achievement from the Association of Realtors. His specialty is residential property in Carmel, Pebble Beach, Carmel Valley and Bay Ridge.

"I usually handle no more than 10 to 12 listings at a time. I don't try to saturate myself. I work very one-on-one," he says.

"The quality of life here in Carmel is important to me. I really specialize in this area because I have a wealth of knowledge to draw upon."

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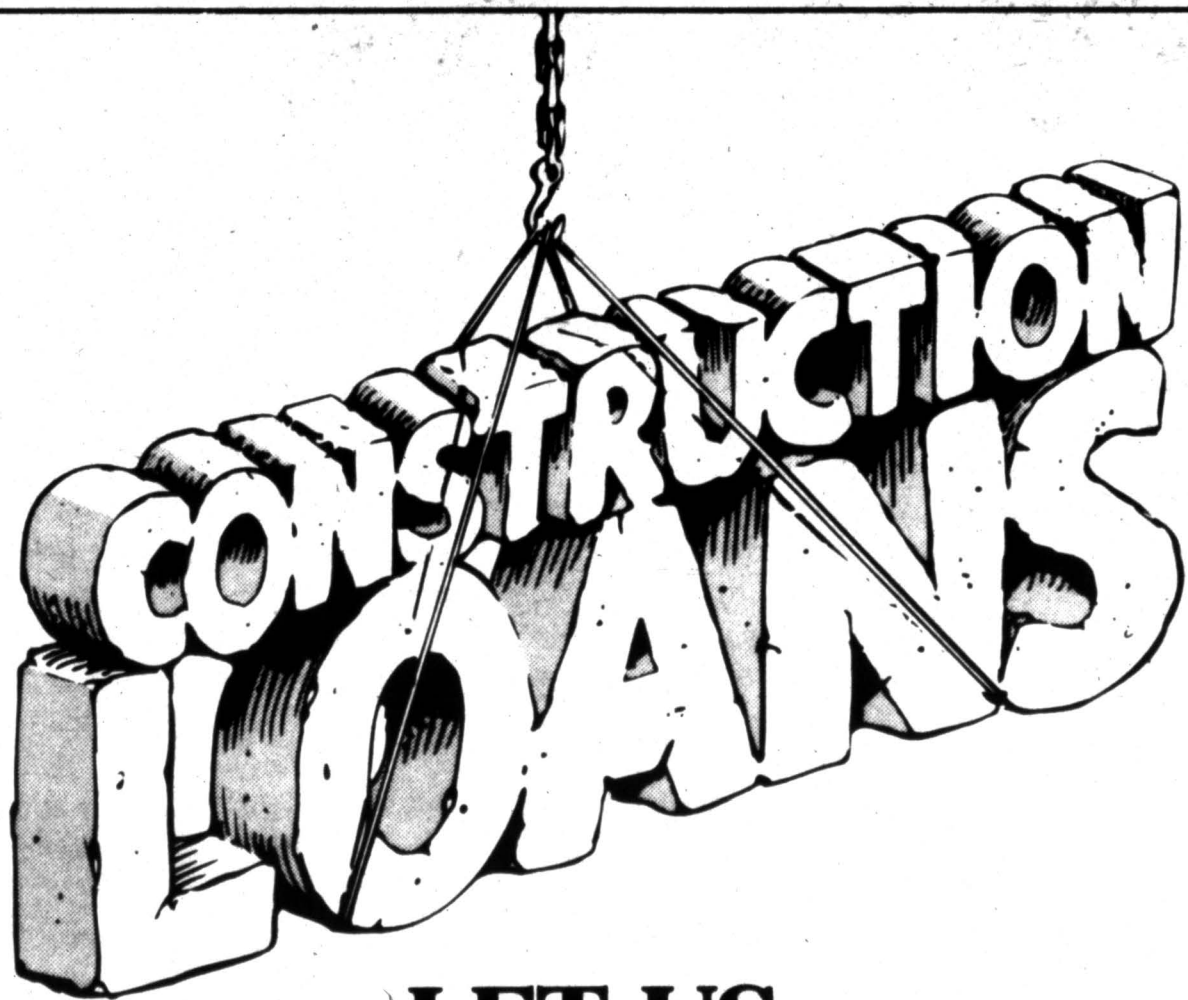
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## THE GARDENS OF COMMUNITY HOSPITAL...

# Visualizing nature's beauty has healing power of its own

By THOMAS MICKLER

GAZING UPON a beautiful garden can be a wonderful experience. While looking upon the displays of differing shapes, green foliage and the varying colors of the flowers blooming, we may find ourselves taking a deep breath and relaxing.

The peaceful scene allows us to be soothed. If we stay there long enough, we could possibly be lulled into sleep by the rustling of the leaves that are gently blowing in the breeze. All the while the sun warms us with the rays that break through the overhead canopy of trees. The scents from the flowers call to mind the first time we smelled these heavenly aromas. We may even find ourselves being entertained by the antics of the woodland creatures that make their home amongst our scenery.

While reflecting on a garden that you find particularly enjoyable, do you find yourself associating it with chaos, mayhem and frustration? Quite to the contrary, we feel a sense of serenity and calm when viewing this paradise in miniature.

With this in mind, please take a moment and view the pictures of the gar-

dens that are displayed in this section of the paper. Picture yourself in these gardens and think how you might feel. Some of you may find this easy because you have been there in the past. They are found on the grounds of Community Hospital of the Monterey Peninsula, or CHOMP, as it is commonly referred to.

These gardens are maintained year-round and are within view of most of the rooms in the hospital. The various seasons bring about some changes here, but they are always nicely maintained and attractive in appearance.

These gardens go beyond the usual aspect of beautifying a building or area. I think the design of the buildings and gardens reflect

some insight into the human psyche. We are well aware that nature holds in its grasp the power to mend and heal. There are drugs and ointments and other beneficial products derived from the vast array of plants in the horticultural world. So, we should not find it surprising that the serene atmosphere of the gardens themselves would have a beneficial aspect for those who find themselves in the hospital.

People have long been in awe of the power of the mind and that of positive thinking, and it has been said that the eyes are the window to the mind. With little speculation then, we see the reasons why having beautiful scenery within the view of the patient's rooms would be beneficial. If you unfortunately have to be in the hospital, what do you think you'd prefer, a room with four walls and a television or one with a woodland scene or manicured garden outside your window?

The sunshine and relaxing atmosphere of the gardens within view can certainly lift the spirit and aid in the recovery process. While I cannot speak from experience in this regard, I have spoken to some of my close friends who have been hospitalized here. When asked to relate how they felt about the atmosphere, particularly the view of the gardens, some compared it to a hotel room for the



Al Bettencourt of the Community Hospital groundskeeping staff (inset left) nurtures flowers atop the Main Pavilion. Gardens are integrated throughout the facility (photos above and below), soothing patients and staff alike.

ill, complete with a patio view. Others expressed their appreciation for the effort put forth to make their stay much more tolerable. Unanimously, they agreed that there was a definite benefit to having a room with a view of the landscape.

### The Gardens

Within the grounds of the hospital are varying degrees of the landscape. Some areas are natural, with native plants and trees. Wildlife, including deer, squirrels, raccoons, opossum and many birds, including quail, woodpeckers and even an owl, live or visit these areas, some very frequently.

Another area, referred to as the "Rose Garden," is a more manicured, maintained area that obviously has roses, but cymbidiums as well, and in many numbers. This area also has many others plants and ground cover growing, with the emphasis on those that are more tolerant of limited water use. This area is in view of many rooms on two separate levels of the hospital's inpatient floors.

The entrance area to the emergency department is in bloom with bright orange flowered Kaffir Lilies. The driveway encircles a large pine, which is occasionally home to some very territorial birds. Large hanging baskets, with Sprenger Asparagus cascading over the sides, hang throughout the area. Neatly maintained lawns soften the appearance of the hardscape and make the entrance to the hospital look very pleasant.

In areas near the front of the building, parking areas and by the front entrance sign, you can find vast numbers of native wildflowers blooming profusely.

One area I really enjoyed was a lawn surrounded by huge oaks. It curves around the building enticing you to go further in the garden to areas ahead, ending at a woodland area, which happens to run alongside 17 Mile Drive of Pebble Beach. There is also an informally designed garden in this same area just outside of the employee outdoor dining facility.

I also don't want to forget to mention the internal gardens. There is a small garden growing in the midst of a large koi pond situated near the main entrance area of the hospital. The seating area surrounding the fountain is also decorated with a number of indoor plants and trees.

There is even a pair of gardens within the view of the rooms and nurse's station



on the floor area called Main Pavilion. Through the large window boxes located in the middle of the department, you can see two small gardens of neatly manicured shrubs. There is also one just outside the pharmacy.

As you exit the doors you can look down upon a garden full of Cinerarias that are constantly reseeding themselves and have filled the area with color.

Many of these areas are visible from patient rooms. There is also access to more garden areas for those patients who are more mobile, or visitors to the hospital.

It can certainly be recognized that the healing power of nature doesn't stop with what we get out of it, but what we see in it, how it makes us feel, how it can lift our spirits and soothe our troubled souls.

Yes, the beauty and power of nature does have an effect on us that we cannot deny. So, in behalf of those who have admired, appreciated or benefited from these curative grounds, I wish to extend a special thanks. Keep up the good work!

■ Thomas Mickler has been in the gardening and landscaping profession for more than a decade. His column appears every other week in the real estate / home & garden section of *The Pine Cone*. If you have a question for the columnist, he'll provide the answer in a subsequent column. You may contact him at P.O. Box 14, Marina, CA 93933. He's also available by phone at 384-3619.



John Montforte offers a drink to one of the many planters in the Rose Garden maintained on the hospital grounds.

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## Thomas Kinkade excels as 'Painter of Light'

TAKING HIS CUE from a group of 19th century American painters called Luminists, Thomas Kinkade has built his career as the most published artist in the country.

Several local galleries showcase paintings by Kinkade, who has come to be known as "America's Painter of Light."

"Like the Luminists, I strive for three visual aspects in my work: soft edges, a warm palette and an overall sense of light," Kinkade asserts.

His images are of country cottages, street scenes and captivating landscapes: all infused with the "Kinkade Glow."

Kinkade makes his home close to Carmel and he can often be seen painting on location.

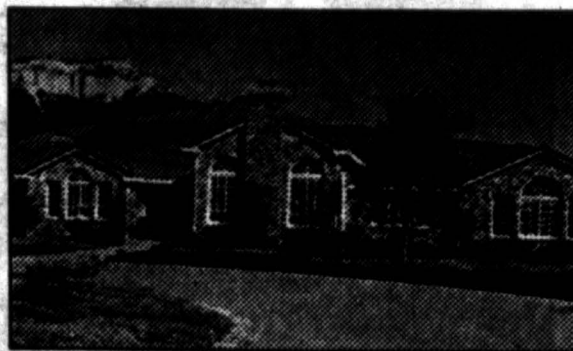
Original paintings by Thomas Kinkade as well as prints can be viewed at the following locations: in Carmel — down the cobblestone path off Ocean Avenue called Der Ling



Thomas Kinkade built his reputation as the 'Painter of Light.' He maintains six local galleries.

Lane (626-1927) in the historic Tuck Box, home of the Thomas Kinkade Gift Gallery (622-1133); in the colorful Barnyard Gardens (622-0939); at the Monterey Plaza Hotel on Cannery Row (657-2350); at Steinbeck Plaza Gallery, 685 Cannery Row, Building C (657-2365), and at the Public Archive on Cannery Row, 550 Wave St., (657-1550).

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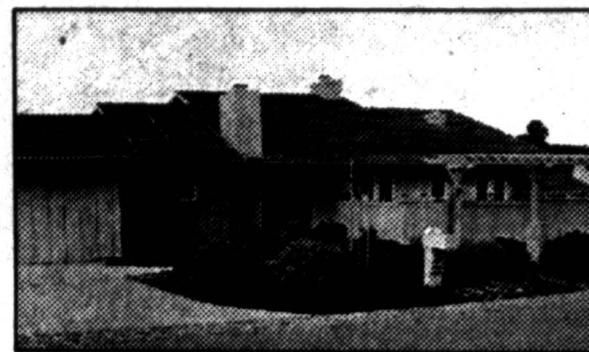


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# Fiorenza's business goal: 'Client satisfaction'

By MARJORIE FIORENZA  
Contempo Realty

I HAVE been a Realtor in California since 1978 and have worked in real estate office management as well as being a salesperson. But my real love is working with clients in negotiating for both buyers and sellers. I am very lucky to be working with my husband of 39 years, Vincent. He is an engineer who took early retirement from General Electric several years ago and has enjoyed his new career in real estate ever since. We both agree that there is no place in the world as wonderful as the Carmel area. It is truly paradise, with unsurpassed beauty, wonderfully talented people and the best weather in the world. We even love the fog.

When someone asks us, "What's your specialty?" we never hesitate to reply, "client satisfaction." Our past and present clients are our best recommendation. All we have to offer is service and we believe in providing the best service possible. Unfortunately, the real estate business is changing into the "bigger is better" concept, as evidenced by the recent acquisitions and mergers taking place, even in our small town. We have loved working with Contempo Realty because it was family-owned and more personal. However, the larger part of the company, in the Bay Area, has recently been acquired by the same group that owns most of the better-known real estate companies here and throughout the world.

Fortunately, our Carmel office is locally owned so we are not a part of the buy-out. This allows us to continue providing



Among the honors Marjorie Fiorenza was awarded at the Contempo Realty Banquet in Santa Clara last month were: "Top Listing Agent," "Top Sales Agent" and "Top Producer."

the caring, personalized service for which we are locally known. At the same time, we still have a very effective networking rapport with the agents who work in Silicon Valley and the surrounding areas. Thus, we will continue to have many qualified buyers referred to us. Our broker believes in having complete cooperation between the agents and our office, which accounts for the true teamwork spirit. It is a great work environment which generates really good energy.

## Carmel Highlands favored

Vince and I have been very fortunate to have a high volume of sales, especially in the Carmel Highlands. It is easy to sell what you love, and The Highlands is a

particularly beautiful area. Actually, this past year we have even sold homes in Hollister, Salinas and Soledad, so obviously we range far and wide.

We spend a great deal of time and money on our listings, but it pays off. We do a lot of open houses, photographs, brochures, direct mailings, professional videotapes, newspaper advertising (local as well as the San Francisco Chronicle and the Wall Street Journal), upscale magazines both domestic and international, ISIS — which is the Japanese M.L.S. and the Contempo Realty magazine of Northern California homes. We feel that all these things are necessary in order to get the most exposure for the property. I always refer to the quote

attributed to Henry Ford, "not advertising is like winking at a pretty lady in the dark." What's the point if it's not seen? We also advertise on the Internet with Listing Link, Contempo Realty Home Page, Contempo Carmel Home Page and the American Real Estate Bureau site.

## Realtor of choice

Speaking to the American Real Estate Bureau, I was recently invited to join

*'Our past and present clients are our best recommendation. All we have to offer is service and we believe in providing the best service possible.'*

their group and was selected to be their Realtor of choice for buyers coming to Carmel. They have such an extensive screening process that less than 1 percent of the real estate industry even qualifies for consideration. The most important factors they look for in a real estate professional are excellent reputation, real estate experience, market penetration in the geographic area they service, and an unwavering commitment to service excellence. Their selection process also includes a very detailed analysis from the local M.L.S. statistics and the agent must have excelled in "total properties sold," "the number of properties not sold (the

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## Enchanting Country English



This showplace of country elegance features 3,300 sq. ft. of living spaces, three car garage. There are three bedrooms, master with fireplace & sitting room, plus den/office. Enjoy the three full baths, master with dressing area, separate shower and oversized spa/tub. The formal dining room and spacious family room, & delightful country kitchen will steal your heart! Offered at \$895,000.

## "Ventana" in the Highlands



This quality constructed contemporary home is just minutes from Carmel. Custom designed for the present owner, by noted architect David Allen Smith, this 2,237 square foot home is nestled on a private 2 acre wooded view parcel with 2 or 3 bedrooms & 2 baths. Preliminary plans for guest house available. This is living!!! Offered at \$1,150,000.

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For years John has had a successful real estate marketing campaign, but his preference is to interact with Peninsula people on an individual basis. His wish is now coming true.

Before, his old company was situated in an upstairs, out-of-the-way office building. Now you may make a visit to John Saar Properties a rewarding part of your day. The Crossroads and John Saar Properties work well together creating an atmosphere conducive to relaxed conversation.

Here is an office that is accessible and inviting.

"My office is very high-tech, but friends and clients won't feel that," Saar says. "They will enjoy the emphasis on natural light from walls of glass and bay windows, hardwood floors, soaring

ceilings and warm, antique furniture. Drop by for a new list of homes on the market, or to discuss any real estate need. Or just say hi to Diesel, my new yellow Labrador."

Right now the focus is on John Saar, the peninsula's most innovative Realtor/broker. Soon, the focus will shift to John Saar Properties, the creative, professional, sought-after force in the real estate community.

"I am excited about my new agents," Saar explains. "We share a wealth of

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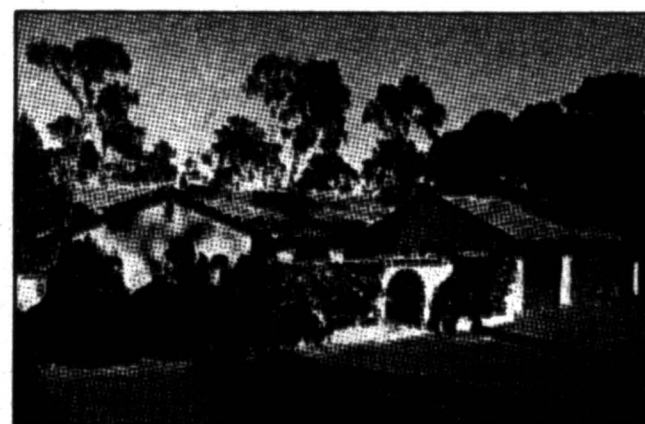
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## French style captured at Village de Provence

**THE COLLECTIONS** at Village de Provence can contribute a small touch of sunny southern France to your home. Or decorate it entirely in a Provençal theme with the help of this Crossroads shop.

Furniture is imported directly from Provence, and includes farm tables, chairs, china hutches and an unusual letterbox.

Village de Provence also brims with one-of-a-kind, heirloom quality china, glassware and silverware. Indeed, the sunny colors of the South of France are evident in this shop, located at 116 Crossroads Blvd., Carmel.

Porcelain by Lallier à Moustiers is hand painted by artisans, each piece made upon individual request. Village de Provence shows intricately patterned cachepots, candlesticks and decorative display plates.

Couzon and Christofle offer serving pieces and European-size flatware. Couzon stainless steel for casual living is dishwasher-safe. Couzon also makes fish serving trays and punch bowls. Fine sterling and china are featured from Christofle.

Exquisite quilts and pillows make perfect wedding gifts. Everyday dishware evokes the sun-splashed Provençal hues — vivid shades of blue, gold, green, yellow and red. The shop also features carved olive wood bowls, trays and cutting boards that retain their nat-

ural sheen for years.

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rationing strategy for the future. The discomfort was a great teacher. Once the drought ended and the rains returned, most Cal-Am customers held onto their water conservation habits.

California-American Water Company requests that its customers voluntarily conserve an additional 5 percent or 705 acre-feet of water to reach the 20 percent water cutback to comply with mandate from the State Water Resources Control Board. Customers previously attained 15 percent of the goal by October 1996. With your help, we can save the 705 acre-feet of water needed for water year 1996-97.

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**BUYERS AND SELLERS** of real estate on the Monterey Peninsula can benefit directly from the Affinity Marketing Program now in effect which gives up to 120,000 United Airlines Mileage Plus Miles to RE/MAX Monterey Peninsula customers. The miles are offered on a sliding scale based upon property sale price.

For example, a \$250,000 sale would earn 60,000 miles and a \$500,000 sale would earn 120,000 miles. The number of

miles that can be earned is quite substantial when you consider only 25,000 miles are needed for a domestic round-trip ticket on United. In the first two months of this year, more than 200 buyers and sellers have taken advantage of this program in the California/Hawaii region.

Although clients and agents at RE/MAX benefit from such special marketing programs and other unique industry innovations, such as RSN (a direct satellite link to the office) and the referral roster on CD-ROM updated quarterly for all 45,000 associates, the office is locally owned and operated. Broker/Owner Bert Aronson, ABR, CRS, founded the office in 1987, which is at 26362 Carmel Rancho Lane adjacent to the Barnyard Shopping Center, Carmel. Each transaction is meticulously monitored locally by Ron Kurkendall, Broker/Manager, and Dorothy Allen, Office Manager. Allen was honored as top administrative employee from more than 250 RE/MAX offices in California in 1996. When you call RE/MAX, you are sure to get a warm and professional greeting from Donna Mowery-Hull or Heideh Farahmand.

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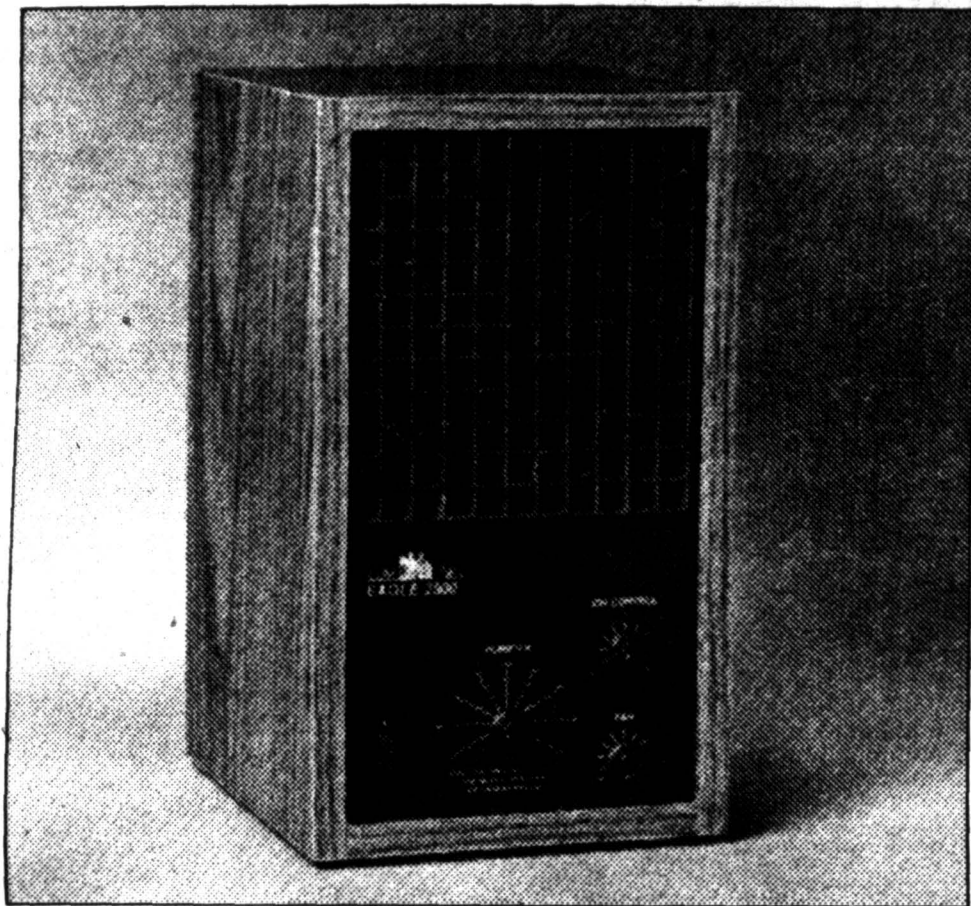
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"Simply put," Alan explains, "It has a small AM transmitter which penetrates through walls for a 120-foot radius, and sends out both negative and positive ions, to mimic an electrical thunderstorm. This removes all particulates from your indoor air environment safely and naturally."

"Simultaneously, the unit creates ozone," Alan adds. "Ozone, known as  $O_3$ , purifies and destroys viruses, bacteria, yeast, mold and toxic chemical offgassing that is secreted throughout your indoor environment."

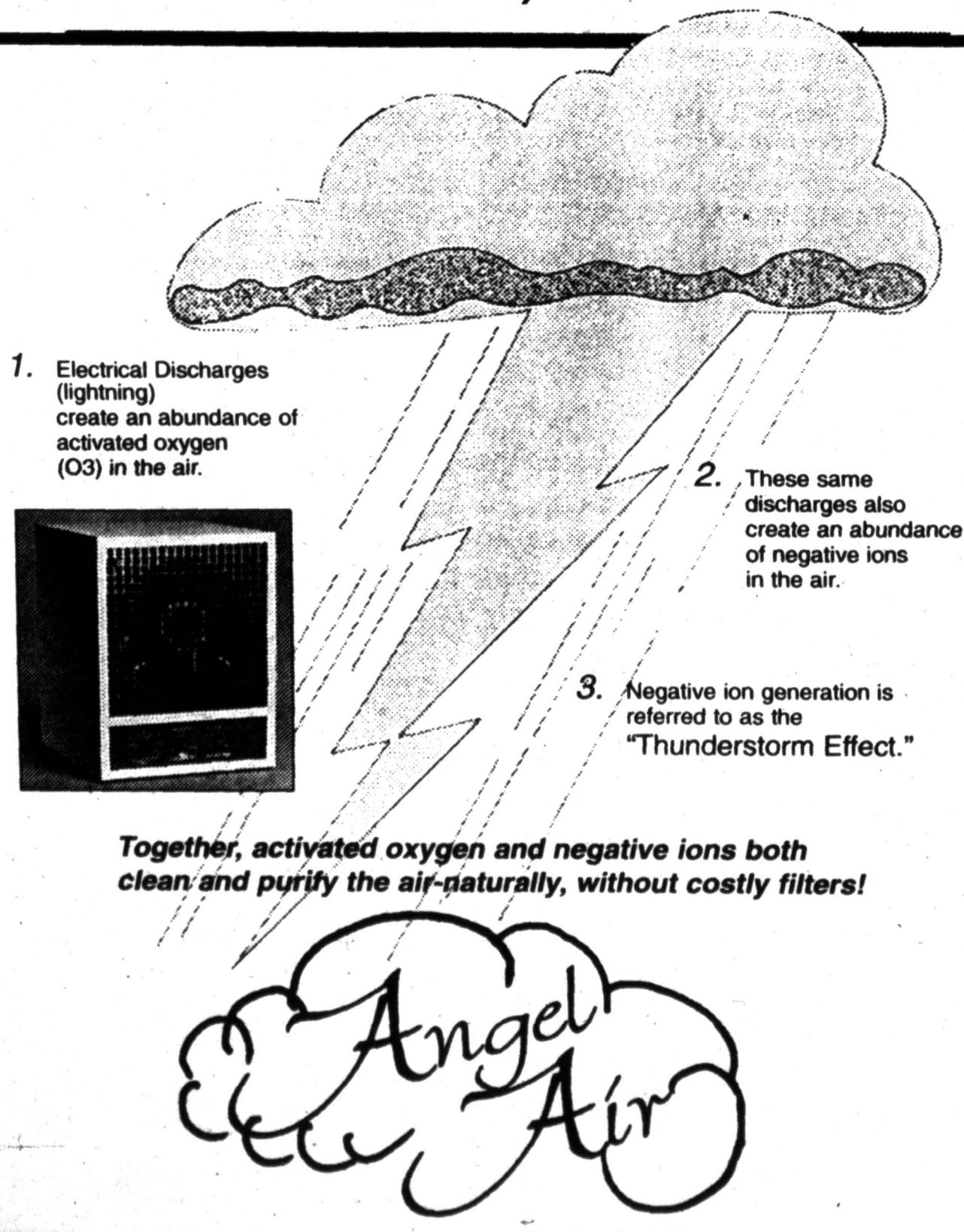
The air in a home can be cleaned from one location, with a high-quality, portable, filterless unit.

Angel Air serves clients from Aptos to Pebble Beach. To learn more of the offerings of Angel Air, simply call 688-0102 or, toll free, (888) 334-4000.



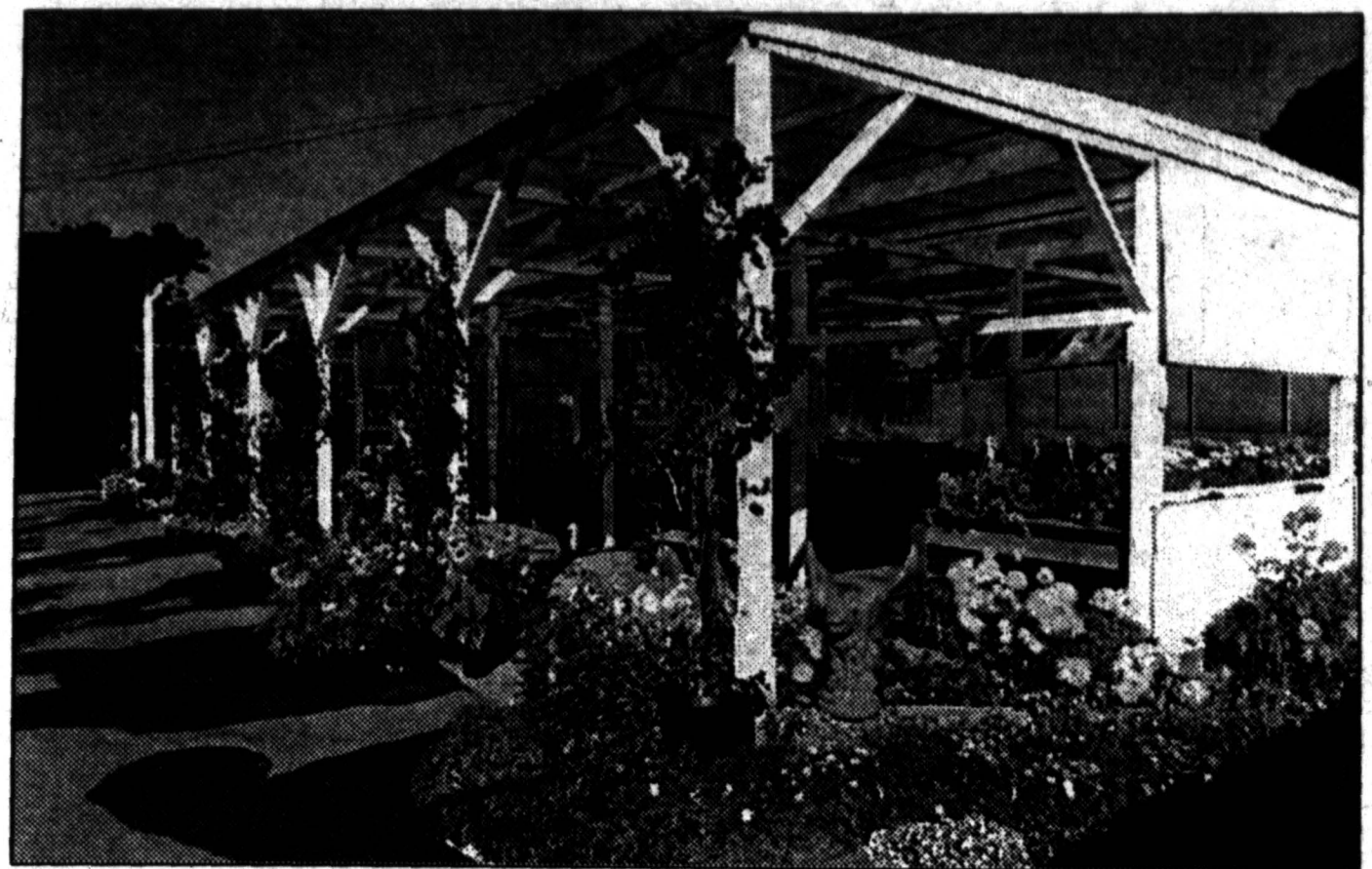
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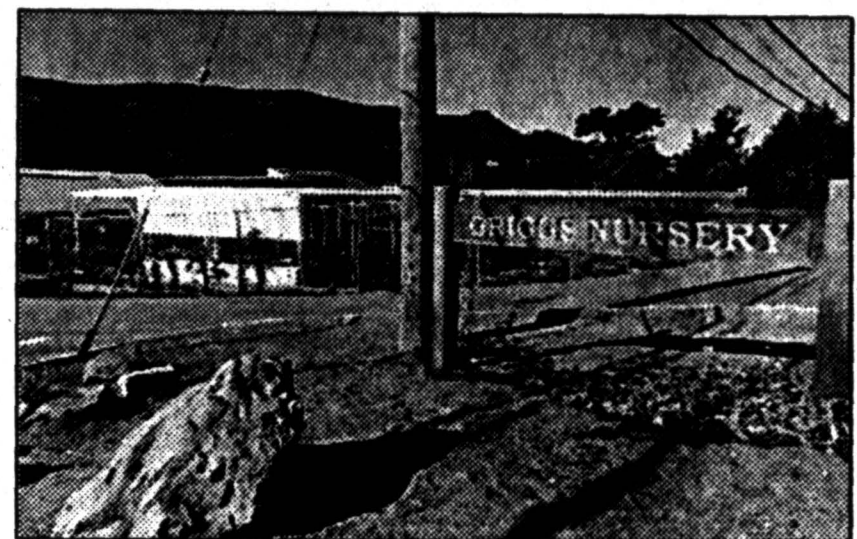
## Griggs Nursery celebrates colorful flowers of spring

IN ADDITION to its Pacific Grove location, Griggs Nursery now occupies a site long thought of as a special source for flowers.

Only 5.5 miles from Highway 1 on Carmel Valley Road, just west of the Mid-Valley Shopping Center, this long-time nursery location (the former Begonia Gardens) is living up to its reputation as an excellent source for year-round color.

Owners Dean and Barbara Griggs bring years of flower and plant experience to their newest full-service nursery. They have owned Griggs Nursery at 1021 David Ave. in Pacific Grove since 1980, and before that they owned and operated nurseries in Salinas and Santa Cruz.

Look to Griggs for both advice and all the ingredients to create an exquisite garden. Their Carmel Valley nursery, like its sister store, is stocked with colorful annuals and perennials, ornamental plants, bulbs, house plants and their signature orchids.



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Griggs is also an ideal spot for gift shopping, whether the need is for a living plant, pottery or other garden accessories. Of course, both Griggs Nurseries carry a full spectrum of plant care products and soil amendments.

The Griggs team take pride in offering a low-pressure, high-quality environment for plant shopping. Both locations are open 8 to 5 daily, Sundays 10 to 4. In Carmel Valley, call 626-0680. In Pacific Grove call 373-4495; gift shop number is 373-6961.

## Equipment and advice offered by Carmel Satellite & Wireless

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was opened last November by John Schaffer on the south side of Carmel Rancho Square near the mouth of Carmel Valley. John spent many of his younger years as a resident of Phelps Way in Carmel Valley. He considers this store to be a homecoming.

Carmel Satellite and Wireless is an authorized sales representative for GTE Wireless. Besides offering cellular phones and pagers, John brings with him experience from his three Bay Area stores, Phone Guys Cellular, located in San Rafael, Berkeley and San Bruno.

John has personally installed and activated more than 3,000 cellular phones and countless pagers in the Bay Area.

Recently, Carmel Satellite and Wireless was made a DirecTV authorized dealer for Monterey and Santa Cruz counties. Now people who buy dish TVs from other retailers can call on Carmel Satellite and Wireless for installing and aiming their equipment.

John spends the fourth week of each month at the new La Jolla Satellite and Wireless store. He invites you to stop by



Cellular phones, pagers, dish TVs and the expertise to install and service them are all found at Carmel Satellite and Wireless. For complete information, call 626-6965.

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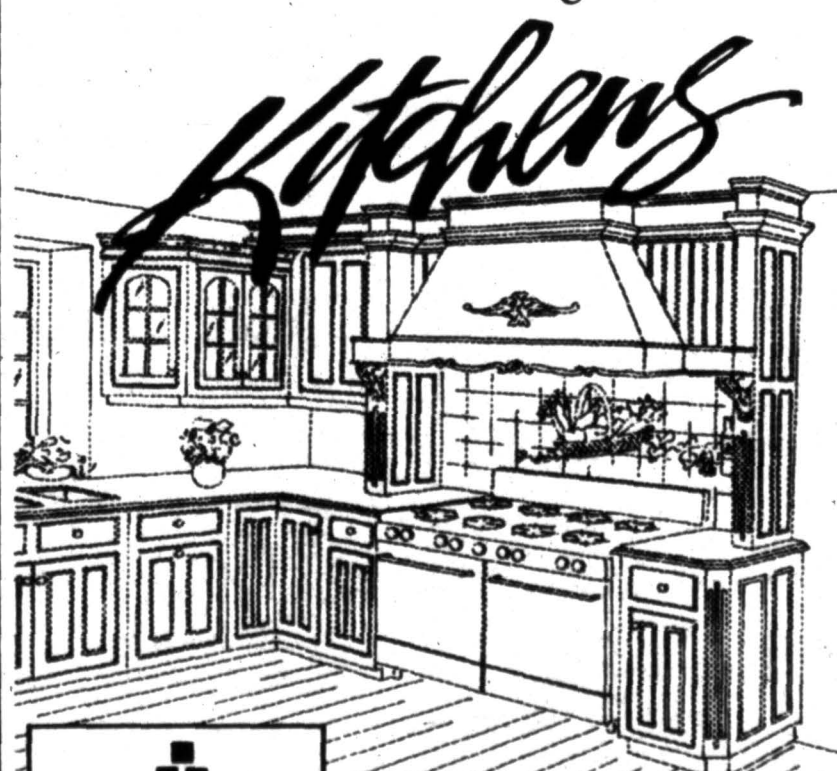
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## Pieces of Heaven resembles a candy-lover's paradise

**MAKE YOUR WORLD** a trifle more delicious with personalized truffles and other creations from Pieces of Heaven. This shop in Carmel's Barnyard abounds in luscious, hand-made candies. Veteran candy makers Bob and Peggy Whitted have delighted customers to the extent that their shop made the best local candies list in a newspaper readers' poll.

At Pieces of Heaven, there are items to be picked up on a whim and savored: handmade truffles filled with Grand Marnier, brandy, Irish Cream, and 21 other flavors.

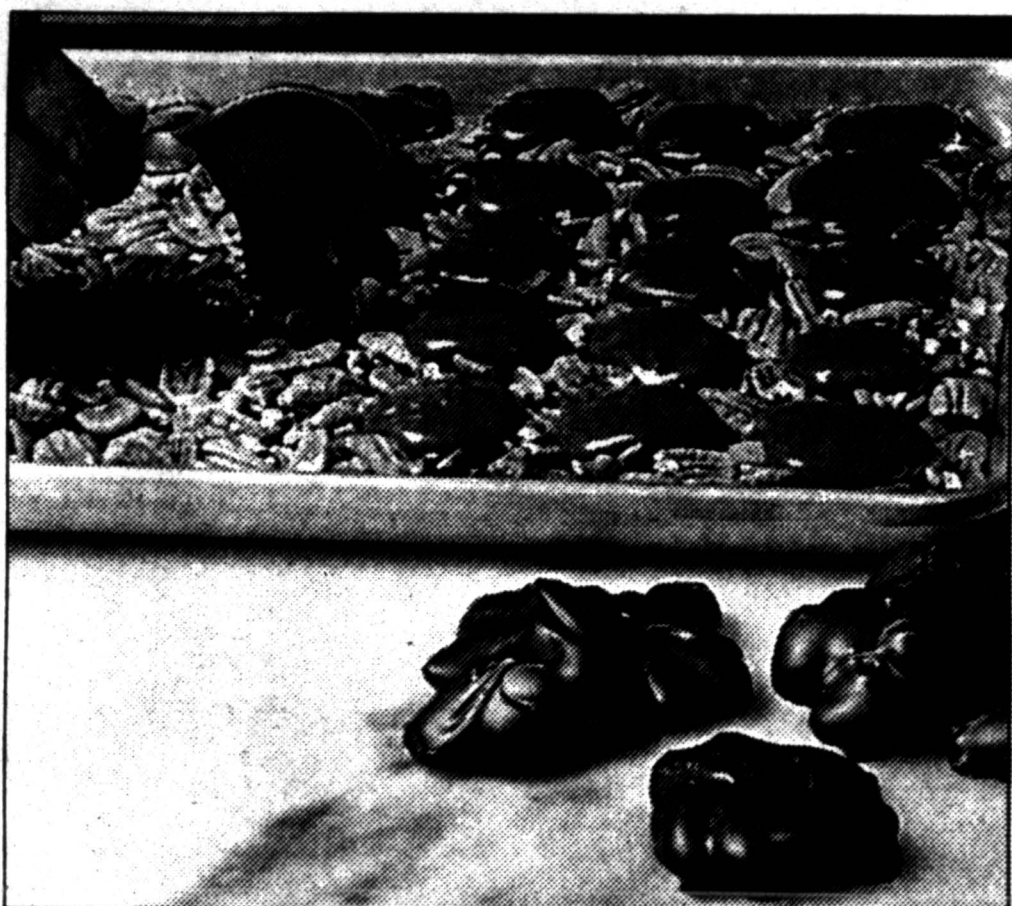
Of course, what's Easter without fudge and cream eggs, molded bunnies, lambs and chickens? This shop offers all of the above. Impress someone special with a chocolate bunny that weighs a hefty eight pounds!

Serve an inspired dessert at your next dinner party. Peggy makes chocolate tulip dessert cups that are just waiting to be filled with fruit, ice cream or mousse. Guests will enjoy the edible cup as much as the filling!

Surprise the chocoholics on your gift list with a custom built gift basket, brimming with premium fudge sauces, hard candies, cocoa mix and a selection of handmade chocolates.

Wedding parties regularly call on Pieces of Heaven for personalized boxes filled with truffles.

Pieces of Heaven is located beneath the windmill near the entrance to the Succulent Gardens at The Barnyard. It's open 11 to 7 daily, 11 to 5:30 Sunday. To learn more, call 625-3368.



*Surprise the chocoholics on your gift list with a custom built gift basket, brimming with premium fudge sauces, hard candies, cocoa mix and a selection of handmade chocolates. Such delights can be found in profusion at Pieces of Heaven.*

## Industry veteran opens Carmel Cottage Realty

**TERRI GELARDI**, who understands the Monterey Peninsula real estate market in-depth and, equally importantly, the needs of buyers and sellers, has good news for both.

Gelardi announces the grand opening of her own real estate company, Carmel Cottage Realty. This dynamic owner/broker invites you to stop by and visit her new office, located on the southeast corner of Seventh and Lincoln in Carmel-by-the-Sea.

Terri Gelardi's real estate career dates back to the early 1970s, when she worked with the San Francisco-based developers of Silverado Golf and Country Club in the Napa Valley. She then moved to the San Francisco Peninsula and served as a loan officer for Home Savings. Later, she operated her own mortgage loan company, Gelardi Associates, in the Palo Alto and Los Altos areas.

Gelardi has pursued her present career as a real estate broker since 1973.

"Buying or selling a home is a process with many emotional as well as business issues to work through," Gelardi explains. "Listening and understanding these concerns is very important. So is following through with up-to-date market information and previewing appropriate proper-



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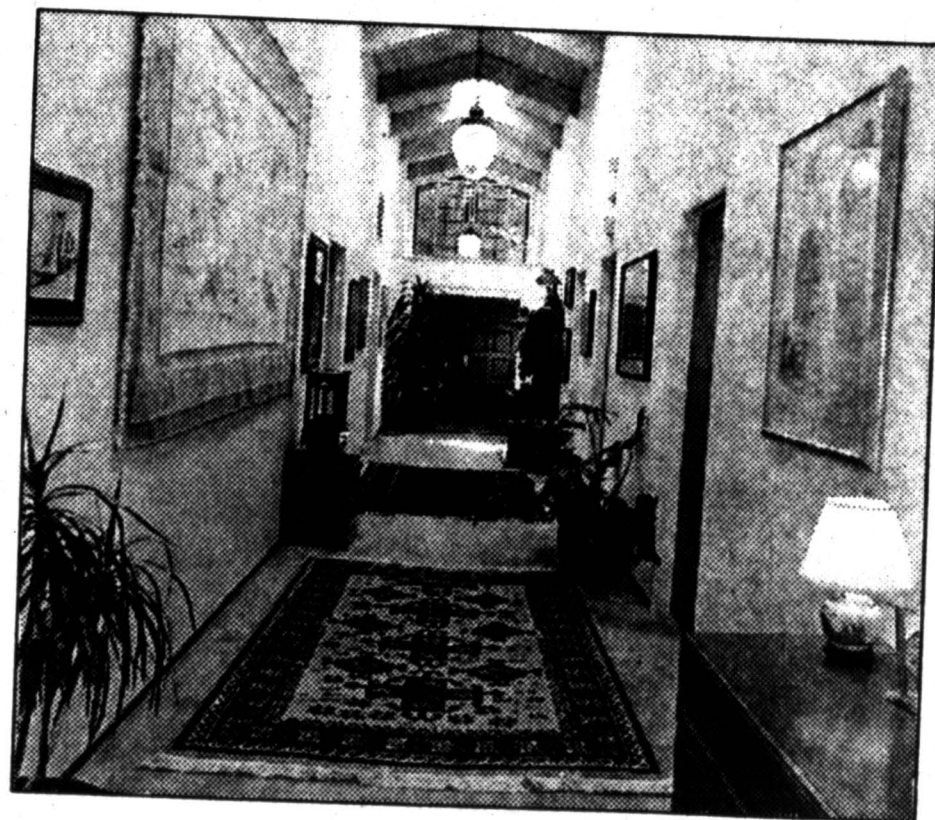
ties with your buyer or seller, so that they can make a well-informed decision in the process of selling or buying a very special item, their home."

Call Terri Gelardi for help with any of your real estate needs. She can be reached at 625-1943 or 624-1423.

## Exceptional Carmel home for sale by owner

**THIS CARMEL DREAM** of a home is offered for sale by its owner. An ideal property for entertaining, it is situated on .58 of an acre at the end of a private drive. Five 8-foot sliding glass doors open out on a canyon. Sit in the hot tub, sip a glass of wine and watch the stars at night.

The home is in immaculate, turnkey condition, and boasts massive, open beam, whitewashed ceilings and dramatic 6-by-35-foot gallery entry with skylights. The professional landscaping is watered by an automatic drip system, and there is also outdoor lighting and



*The home is in immaculate, turnkey condition, and boasts massive, open beam, whitewashed ceilings and dramatic 6-by-35-foot gallery entry with skylights.*

sun splashed decking.

You'll find two bedrooms, two full bathrooms and an office/den for a total of 1,830 square feet. Enjoy the gourmet kitchen, complete with double self-cleaning oven, trash compactor and new flooring.

A combination office/den, central alarm system, attached two-car garage and barbecue off the sunny deck are among the other amenities.

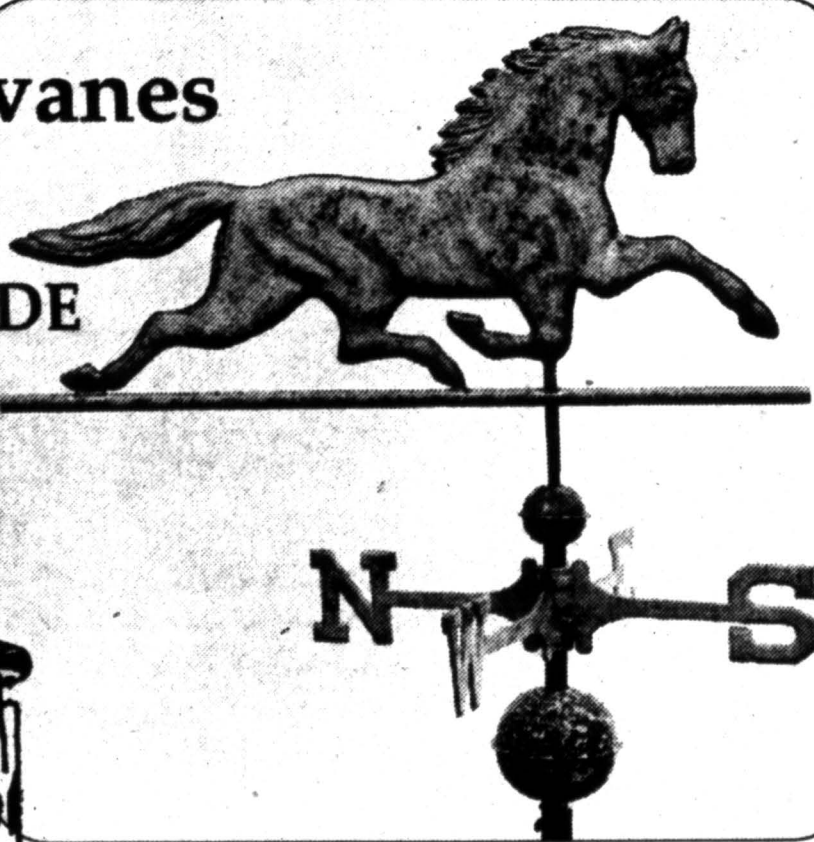
This fine Carmel property can be viewed by appointment only. Call 624-7435. It is offered at \$532,000. Broker cooperation is welcomed.



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## Herma Smith Curtis attributes her success to communication, commitment

TALK TO Herma Smith Curtis, a key figure in Monterey Peninsula real estate, and be moved by her enthusiasm and impressed by her insights. She takes very seriously her role in helping people acquire the biggest investment of their lives.

"Frankly," Herma says, "You can never fake sincerity. If a deal isn't right for a particular family, I tell them exactly that. If a transaction is right, I express this opinion as well. So many families have come back in later years and thanked me."

From 1971 to '87 Herma owned her own real estate company. She built it up to five offices with 75 sales people before selling the operation to Coldwell Banker.

For a long time, as a high level executive, Herma was the key person in the decision making loop. These days, she pursues her area of greatest interest: residential sales. Herma lists the major qualifications of a top sales person.

"Passion, belief in what you do, energy and stamina, the need for a strategy, the ability to bond with people, the ability to communicate and the commitment to do the job are guidelines that I believe in," she says.

"In this computer age, it is wonderful to have information at the tip of your fingers, but I don't think that will ever replace a personal touch."



These days, Herma Smith Curtis pursues her area of greatest interest: residential sales. Her phone numbers are: 625-3300, or her home office: 624-9043.

she affirms. "Unfortunately, I think the heart has gone out of the business a lot, with an emphasis on acquisition, the bottom line. I think people still like to be nurtured, and need the care of a person with their interests at heart."

Today Herma has her office at Coldwell Banker, 26611 Carmel Center Place, and another in her home. Her phone numbers: 625-3300 or her home office is 624-9043.

## NEW LISTING IN CARMEL!

Situated on a large oak studded lot, in a convenient South of Ocean location, this remodeled 3 bedroom, 2 bath home boasts open beam ceilings, built-in window seat in the master bedroom, bull nosed plaster throughout, hardwood floors, Berber carpets, skylights, tile counters in kitchen, built-in bookshelves, security system and a one car garage. There is also a separate guest house with its own deck. Priced to sell at \$489,000...a must see!!!



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stains and used motor oil? No hazardous waste of any kind should ever be placed in your trash can or poured down the drain.

A Hazardous Waste Collection Program called the "Drop and Swap" is operated at the landfill by The Monterey Regional Waste Management District. All district residents are eligible to turn in their household hazardous waste for free at 14201 Del Monte Blvd, two miles north of Marina. Residents from the City of Salinas are able to bring household hazardous waste for a \$5 charge per visit.

The district's service area includes these communities, going from north to south: Moss Landing, Castroville, Marina, Seaside, Del Rey Oaks, Sand City, Monterey, Monterey-Salinas Highway area, Pacific Grove, Pebble Beach, Carmel, Unincorporated Carmel, Carmel Valley, Carmel Highlands and Big Sur.

Businesses may also participate in the Hazardous Waste Collection Program. Businesses MUST call and make an appointment for this service. There is a fee assessed based on the type and amount of waste brought to the program.

A unique component of the Drop and Swap program is the "swap." Since the majority of the household hazardous waste brought to the program is still in good and usable condition, the district makes these products available to the community for free. People can visit the "swap" area and pick up whatever materials happen to be available, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Saturday. Examples of products typically available: paints and stains, household cleaners, auto waxes.

To learn more, call 384-5313.



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## Carmel Rancho Lane: A resource for better living

### Buyers and sellers achieve goals with help from Vera Ambrosio

TO REACH a dedicated, full-time real estate professional, call on Vera Ambrosio, GRI. She is an associate broker who is based in the Carmel Crossroads office of Coldwell Banker Del Monte Realty.

"My ability to approach each transaction individually comes from my

understanding and sensitivity to each person's own real estate needs," explains Vera, whose speciality is residential sales.

As evidence of her gift for matching needs and homes, she is a member of the Coldwell Banker President's Club, Carmel Board of Realtors, the National Association of Realtors and is a graduate of the Real Estate Institute.

In addition to her background in real estate, Vera previously worked 15 years in the advertising/marketing industry in New York.

Her creativity and knowledge can help home buyers and sellers achieve their goals. Vera's results are proven: in the third quarter of 1996, she was the number one sales associate in total transactions closed.

Receive the assistance you deserve from your real estate professional: Vera Ambrosio. Telephone (408) 655-9903 or toll free, (800) 808-VERA.



Vera Ambrosio is an associate broker who is based in the Carmel Crossroads office of Coldwell Banker Del Monte Realty.

### David Vincent Design features innovative showroom

DAVID VINCENT DESIGN is located in the heart of Carmel's boutique shopping district, 26384 Carmel Rancho Lane. It is owned and operated by David Vincent. Vincent spent the last 16 years in designing and installation custom audio-visual systems and cabinetry.

At David Vincent Design much thought has been given to the showroom space, so the most discriminating client will enjoy the offered audio and video equipment. In one area of the studio showroom is a two-piece video projection system with a 100-inch retractable motorized screen. This is positioned in front of a mahogany fireplace. The second viewing area features a LCD front projection television. Both systems are complemented by surround sound speakers. The studio showroom also features various quality "audio" systems.

The essence of David Vincent Design is to introduce audio and video equipment in the most pleasing and informative manner possible. With the knowledgeable assistance of David Vincent, clients are able to confidently purchase the appropriate system for their home and lifestyle.

To learn more, call 626-1865.

### Vitamin Center supplies stress relief

GIGI MOON, owner of The Vitamin Center, likes to refer to her business as "a stress-free zone." The shop, located at 26356-B Carmel Rancho Lane, is actually a "stress-fighting zone." It is stocked with the very herbs, vitamins, compounds and self-help literature that help bring peace to busy lives.

Moon stocks her own signature line of products, called Vital Health. These optimum products are shipped directly from the factory, fresh and at an reasonable prices. You'll find "Women's Formula" for easing PMS, "Wild Yam," a natural product for use during menopause, calcium supplements like Osteo-Guard, and more. The Vitamin Center is the only source in this area for Vital Health products.

Gigi and her family are long-time local merchants, meaning, as Gigi says, "Our specialty is service. I love what I'm doing and am here to help."

The Vitamin Center has some very powerful anxiety-fighting weapons: gemstone candles, aromatherapy, ginseng and more. It's open 9 to 6 Monday through Friday, 10 to 5 Saturday. Call 625-9155.

### Fresh ideas abound at Accents Windows & Walls

THE DISPLAYS are ever changing at Accents Windows & Walls, located at 26362 Carmel Rancho Lane, at the entrance to The Barnyard. It's the place to find the newest trends as well as classic looks in decorating.

Accents Windows & Walls specializes in interior window treatments — every piece custom-tailored to individual taste and needs.

"It's important that clients understand what they are buying. With our full-size displays, people are able to make better decisions on window coverings consider-

ing their personal needs," says Susan Ashelford, who owns the business with her husband, Heath Onthank.

The shop creates custom shutters, blinds, draperies and custom bedding.

For the customers' convenience, Accents Windows & Walls offers free in-home consultations for window treatments. The window treatment purchase price always includes installation by the firm's own professionals.

A full wallpaper department rounds out the inventory. Newly arrived are some beautiful old world prints and exciting faux finishes.

"Be sure to stop by and see the new Duette PowerRise, a motorized blind that requires no cords and runs on batteries. We're very excited about it," Susan adds.

Hours are 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday; 10 to 2 Saturdays. Telephone: 626-9054.

### Get inspired at Carmel Kitchens & Baths

TRANSLATING HOMEOWNERS' dreams into reality is the specialty of Carmel Kitchens & Baths. Architects, designers and even the public at large visit this resource on Carmel Rancho Lane. Here they receive inspiration, view the newest in materials and components and gain expert assistance in the practical working out of a design.

"We help with a lot of the overwhelming decisions people face," explains Barry Rowley, owner. "We try to lead clients through the process. We take a lot of mystery out of bath and kitchen design, and will follow a project through to completion. We can supply a document that outlines the total cost of a bath or kitchen, working within a specific budget. This makes it easier for the customer to compare apples to apples."

This level of service typically begins with an interview in which clients outline their wishes and needs when creating a new bath or kitchen.

Rowley himself is a Certified Kitchen Designer, meaning that his work has been juried by his peers. The company was formerly owned by and still works in association with Bob Seger, registered architect.

Carmel Kitchens & Baths is at 26386 Carmel Rancho Lane. Call 624-4667.

### Marge Fiorenza...

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lower this number the better)," "average sales price," "total days on the market" and "a commitment to deliver a level of service excellence that buyers and sellers can count on." They provide a free public service with a toll-free number.

Last month our office attended the Contempo Realty Awards Banquet in Santa Clara. I was also one of the lucky Realtors to receive The John Leo Memorial Award "for achievement of outstanding sales performance for 1996" from The Monterey County Association of Realtors.

Vince and I would like to take this opportunity to say "thank you" to all of the terrific people who made 1996 a successful year for us. As for all the sellers who want to sell your homes and the buyers looking for a real estate professional who has a commitment to deliver a level of service excellence that you can count on, call us at (408) 622-9809 or 622-1040. You will be glad you did.



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## Francesca Victoria: The source for beauty

FRANCESCA VICTORIA is entering its third year with a newly expanded shop offering a larger selection of furniture and accessories.

The shop supplies an eclectic mix of style and sources, with an emphasis on French and English designs that have an American touch. Old things are mixed with new for style with softness. Many wonderful things are arriving daily from a recent market trip.

Beautifully painted tray tables, metal garden lanterns, needlepoint pillows from England, large hurricanes and cypress garden benches, are but a few of the offerings.

One terrific find is an American artist who paints wall canvases. His large and bold subjects are inspired by antique sources in France and England, and then painted in oil in his own unique way. Custom orders may also be placed.

Customers are invited to come in and browse, gather ideas and even offer a few. The proprietors are always listening for new innovations. Look for their booth at the upcoming Carmel Garden Show at Quail Lodge.

At Francesca Victoria, they are



*Francesca Victoria in the Crossroads invites visitors to come in and browse, gather ideas and even offer a few.*

happy to gift wrap and deliver any gift chosen for a customer.

Francesca Victoria, simply put, is home to lovely things. It's located in Carmel's Crossroads, at the very end of the boulevard, across from Café Stravaganza and next door to Caffè & Co. Call 624-4141.

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## Realtor Sharon Gedryn treats clients individually

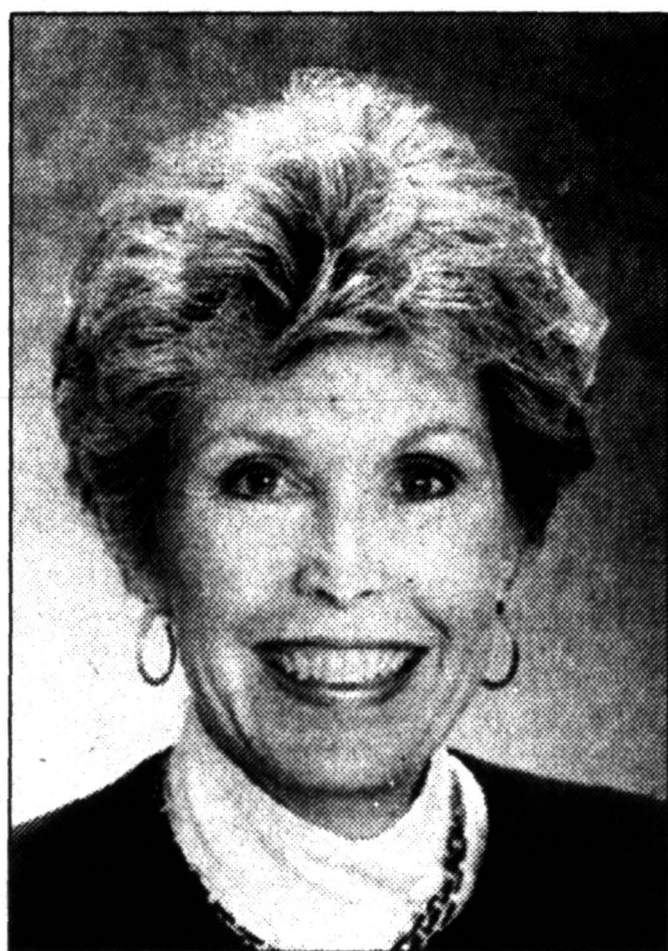
"BUYING OR selling is always a stressful time. It's really important that our customers and clients feel that we're taking care of their needs," observes Sharon Gedryn, a 28-year veteran Realtor.

Gedryn works out of the Crossroads offices of Coldwell Banker in Carmel. A specialist in Monterey Peninsula residential real estate, she was named top agent for all the local Coldwell Banker offices in both listings and sales during 1995 and '96. She is past president of the Monterey Peninsula Association of Realtors, was Realtor of the Year, and served on executive committees on both state and local levels.

Key to her success formula is treating clients individually and with great care.

"The service that we give is superior. Clients can count on us. They need someone they can really trust, as well as an individual with in-depth knowledge of the real estate market," she explains.

Gedryn says she especially enjoys working with families, finding the very home that matches their needs.



To reach Sharon Gedryn, call 625-3300, or see her web page at <http://www.SharonGedryn.com>.

"We have water issues, we have growth issues," Gedryn asserts. "You have to know about them so that you can help clients make an educated decision about the home they will purchase."

"It's very difficult, really. Everyone has their demands, and the Realtor has to pull everything together, so that buyers and sellers don't have to go through that stress," she explains. "We're in a very litigious society right now, and there are so

many things that people just don't want to deal with. I make sure all the paperwork is done. Knowing what I know, I can't imagine how anyone would enter into a real estate transaction without the help of a real estate broker."

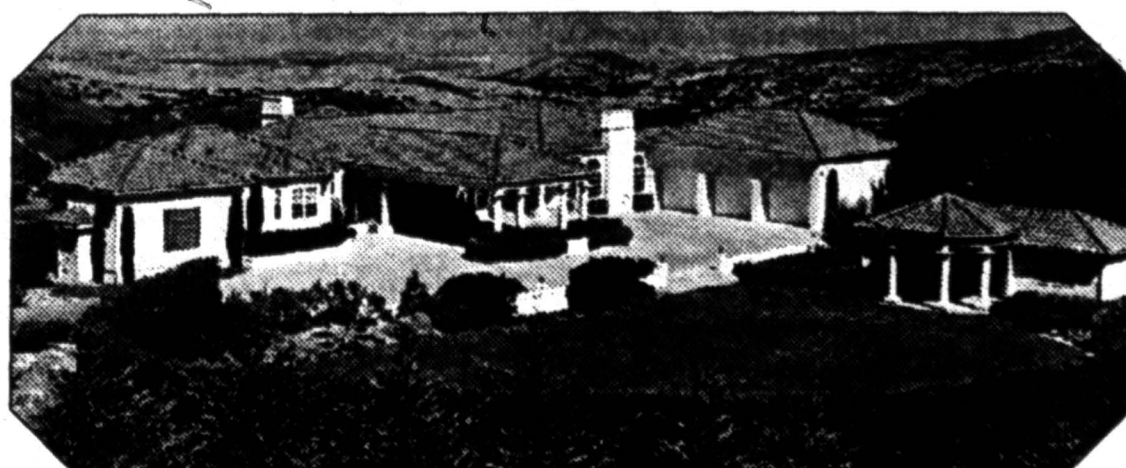
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## Succulent Gardens gathers astonishing breadth of inventory

ONE OF the pleasures of shopping is finding a place with not only a huge inventory, but also a staff that is knowledgeable and helpful. Succulent Gardens in Carmel's Barnyard is such a spot. Items for home and garden that are found in pairs at other shops are gathered by the hundreds at Succulent Gardens. And owner Robin Stockwell has seen to it that he and his staff know their subject. And what of customers' wishes? They come first.

"When a person comes in to buy a windchime for someone, we know the sound is in the ear of the beholder. For this reason we will gladly accept returns," Robin says.

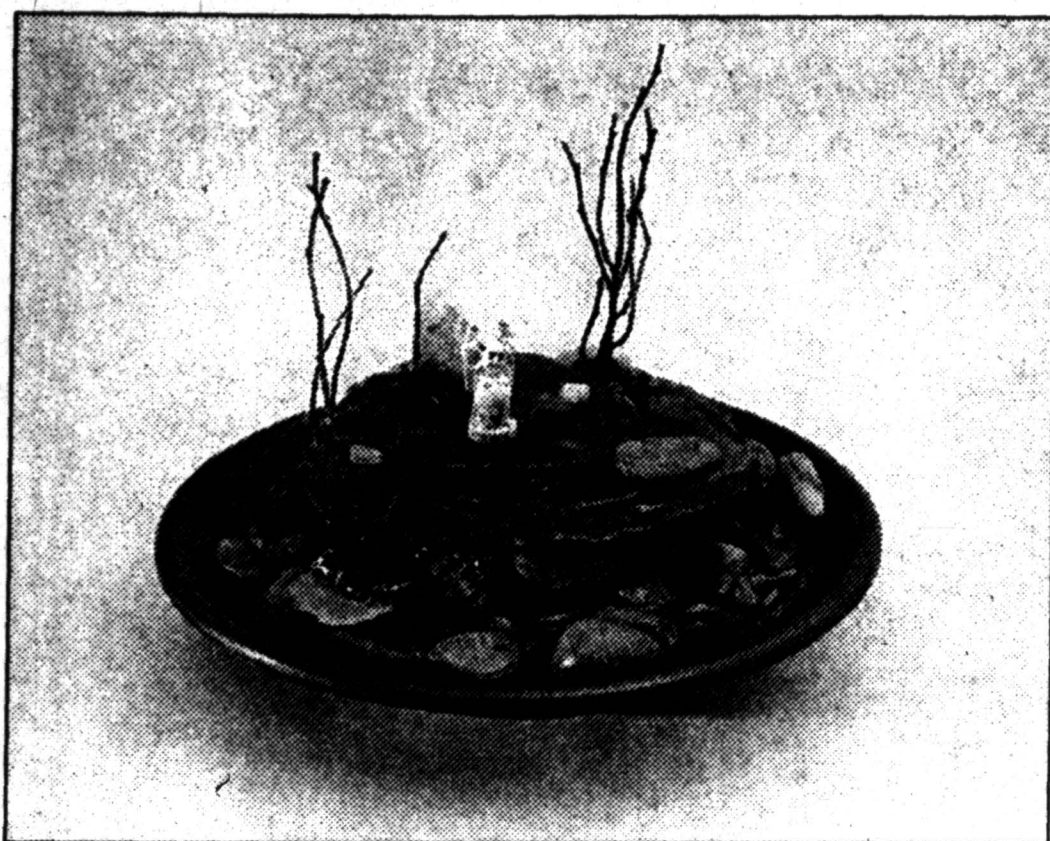
Located at the north end of The Barnyard below the Golden Buddha, Succulent Gardens resembles all the premium shopping catalogues come to life.

Weather vanes are exhibited in abundance. Anything to enhance a garden environment can be found here. Sculpture by noted artists, fountains and even living plants are on display. Visitors are often astonished by this breadth of inventory. Among stepping stones alone, the store shows 150 varieties. The wind chime selection is astonishing.

"We fill a lot of custom orders, address plaques and the like," Robin adds. "We make it a point to know about our product and we make sure our suppliers live up to what they say about our products."

Gift wrapping is free. As for shipping, the store guarantees safe arrival, and charges only their cost.

Open 17 years, Succulent Gardens ships to customers around the world. To learn more, call 624-0426.



*This 'Prosperity Fountain' offers two levels of hand cut slate, river rock, birch twig trees and an intricate alabaster carving. See it and other designs at Succulent Gardens.*

## Devoted sales team comprises Greg Shankle Real Estate

WE ASKED members of Greg's firm why it has continued to flourish and requested their reactions to the "mergermania" of recent years.

One view held a "total team concept" to be fundamental to its success.

"The average experience in our office exceeds 20 years and the input and support of every member of our staff is

always available to any agent upon request. In addition, we have a fully involved broker in the field, as well as the office."

Another agent in Shankle's office mentioned the pleasure, even "joy of working with a truly personable group of professionals." "A job demanding 45 to 60 hours per week must be fun if you're to succeed," she says. "And in our office, we truly enjoy our profession as well as one another." "Most noon times find a number of our agents sharing lunch in our private dining area, often with a favorite client or guest."

Greg Shankle himself does not see the mass merger of agents and large offices as being in the best interest of the buy-



*"If you have a special property or need, call me and I'll match your needs to the special talents of an agent in our office," says Greg Shankle.*

ing/selling public, with layered management and the bureaucracy that goes hand-in-hand with the so-called mega giants. Greg sees the "potential for a more impersonal and less service-oriented industry."

"We're a member of Relo, one of the finest national relocation networks in the country," says Greg, "and in addition this office fields 15 of the finest Realtors in this part of the country. I know, because I hand picked them."

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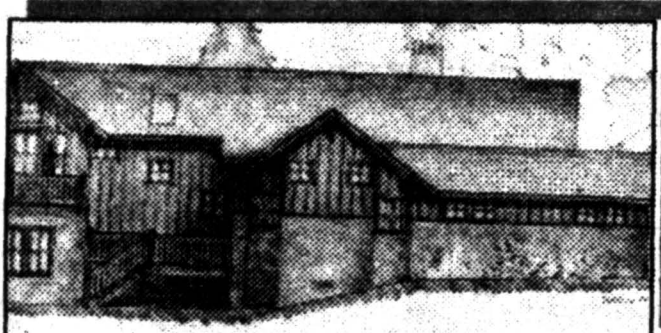
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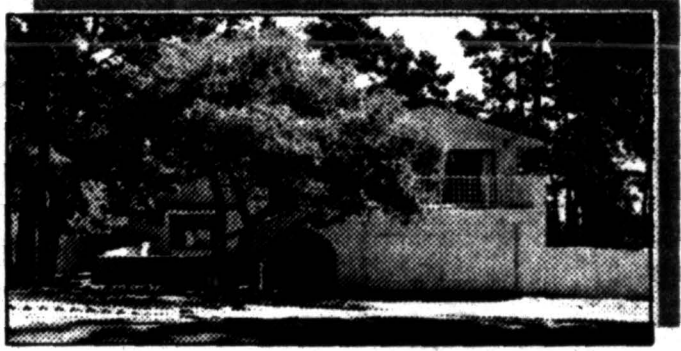
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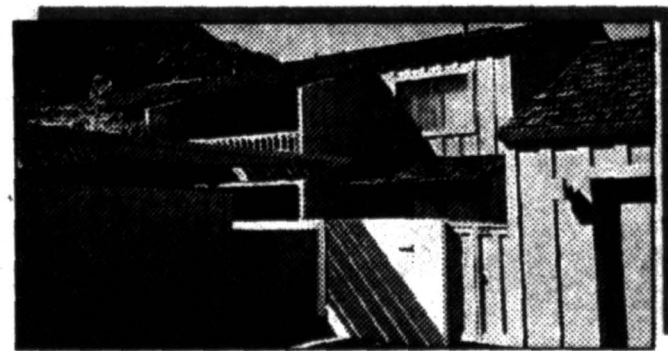
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